

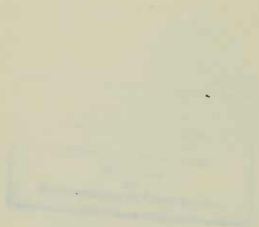
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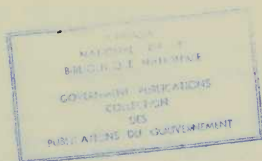
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PROCLAMATIONS



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CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India;

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the twenty-eighth day of the month of February, 1945, at which time, at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear.

Now know ye, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you and each of you, that on Saturday, the thirty-first day of the month of March, 1945, you meet Us, in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our City of Ottawa, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. **WITNESS:** Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this twenty-first day of February, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and forty-five and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,

Under Secretary of State.

ATHLONE

[L.S.]

CANADA

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To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the thirty-first day of the month of March, 1945, at which time at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear. Nevertheless, for certain causes and considerations, We do Will, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, that you and each of you, be as to Us in this matter entirely exonerated, Commanding, and by the tenor of these Presents enjoining you, and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, that on Monday, the nineteenth day of the month of March, 1945 at 3 p.m., at Our City of Ottawa, aforesaid, personally you be and appear, for the DESPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon these things which in Our said Parliament of Canada, by the Common Council of Our said Dominion, may by the favour of God be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this second day of March, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand nine hundred and forty-five and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,

Under Secretary of State.

No. 1

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OTTAWA, MONDAY, 19TH MARCH, 1945

This being the day on which Parliament is convoked by Proclamation of the Governor General for the despatch of business, and the Members of the House being assembled:—

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter which he had received:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

OTTAWA

7th March, 1945.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will arrive at the Main Entrance of the Houses of Parliament at 3 p.m. on Monday the 19th March, 1945, and when it has been signified that all is in readiness, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Sixth Session of the Nineteenth Parliament of Canada.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. S. REDFERN,

Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons,
Ottawa.

A Message was delivered by Major A. R. Thompson, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:—

Mr. Speaker,

His Excellency the Governor General desires the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the Chamber of the Honourable the Senate.

The House attended accordingly;

And being returned,

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, during the recess, the Clerk of the House had received from the Chief Electoral Officer, a Certificate of Election and Return of the following Member, viz:—

Of Wilfred Garfield Case, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Grey North.

CANADA

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

To the Clerk of the House of Commons:

This is to certify that pursuant to a writ dated on the eleventh day of December, 1944, and addressed to Arthur E. Moore, of Owen Sound, in the Province of Ontario, for the election of a member to serve in the House of Commons of Canada for the electoral district of Grey North, in the place and stead of William P. Telford, who has resigned, Wilfred Garfield Case, 767 2nd Avenue West, Owen Sound, Ontario, Insurance Manager, has been returned as elected.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Ottawa this sixteenth day of February, 1945.

JULES CASTONGUAY (L.S.),

Chief Electoral Officer.

The following Member, having previously taken the Oath according to Law, and subscribed the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House:—

Wilfred Garfield Case, Esquire, for the Electoral District of Grey North.

Mr. Mackenzie King introduced a Bill, No. 1, An Act respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office, which was read the first time.

Mr. Speaker reported, That when the House did attend His Excellency the Governor General this day in the Senate Chamber, His Excellency was pleased to make a speech to both Houses of Parliament, and to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy which he read to the House as follows:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

You have been called into session for the despatch of business which it is in the national interest to conclude before the expiration of the present Parliament.

Since I last addressed you, the war in Europe and in Asia has continued with relentless fury. In Europe, the Allied forces are rapidly advancing to what there is every reason to believe will be decisive victory. Canada is prouder than ever of the splendid achievements of her fighting forces, at sea, on land, and in the air.

The government has accepted the invitation to Canada to send representatives to a Conference of the United Nations to be held on April 25th, at San Francisco, to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security. My Ministers are of the opinion that the Canadian delegation at the San Francisco Conference should be assured of the widest possible measures of support from Parliament. A joint resolution of both Houses will accordingly be submitted for your approval.

Members of the House of Commons:

The term of the present Parliament will have expired on April 17th. A general election will be held shortly thereafter. You will be asked to make the necessary financial provisions for the effective conduct of the war, and to meet the ordinary expenses of government, for the period between the end of the present fiscal year and the opening of a new Parliament.

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

May Divine Providence guide your deliberations in this solemn moment in the history of the world.

Mr. Mackenzie King moved,—That on Tuesday, the 20th March, 1945, to the end of the present session, Government Notices of Motion and Government Orders shall have precedence at every sitting over all other business except Questions by Members and Notices of Motions for the production of papers.

After Debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King it was resolved,—That on Wednesday the 21st March, 1945, and all subsequent Wednesdays until the end of the present session, the sittings shall in every respect be under the same rules as provided for other days.

Mr. Mackenzie King, delivered a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, which was read by Mr. Speaker, as follows:—

ATHLONE.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons a certified copy of an approved Minute of Council appointing the Honourable T. A. Crerar, Minister of Mines and Resources, the Honourable J. L. Ilsley, Minister of Finance, the Honourable J. E. Michaud, Minister of Transport, and the Honourable J. A. MacKinnon, Minister of Trade and Commerce, to act with the Speaker of the House of Commons as Commissioners for the purposes and under the provisions of Chapter 145 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, intituled: "An Act respecting the House of Commons."

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, Ottawa,
19th March, 1945.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King it was resolved,—That this House will, at the next sitting, resolve itself into Committee to consider of a Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King it was resolved,—That this House will, at the next sitting, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, delivered Messages from His Excellency the Governor General, which were read by Mr. Speaker, as follows:—

ATHLONE.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, Estimates of sums required for the service of the Dominion for the year ending on the 31st March, 1946, and, in accordance with the provisions of "The British North America Act, 1867," the Governor General recommends these Estimates to the House of Commons.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
OTTAWA, 19th March, 1945.

ATHLONE.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, further Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the service of the Dominion for the year ending on the 31st March, 1945, and, in accordance with the provisions of "The British North America Act, 1867," the Governor General recommends these Estimates to the House of Commons.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
OTTAWA, 19th March, 1945.

On motion of Mr. Ilsley, the said Messages and Estimates were referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Ilsley moved,—That the House do go into Committee of the Whole, at the next sitting of the House, to consider the following proposed Resolution:—

That it is expedient to introduce a measure to provide, inter alia,

1. That a sum not exceeding \$2,000,000,000. be granted to His Majesty towards defraying any expenses or making any advances or loans that may be incurred or granted by or under the authority of the Governor in Council during the year ending March 31, 1946, for—

- (a) the security, defence, peace, order and welfare of Canada;
- (b) the conduct of naval, military and air operations in or beyond Canada;
- (c) promoting the continuance of trade, industry and business communications, whether by means of insurance or indemnity against war risk or in any other manner whatsoever;
- (d) the purposes of The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1943, as amended by The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1944; and
- (e) the carrying out of any measure deemed necessary or advisable by the Governor in Council in consequence of the existence of a state of war.

2. That the Governor in Council be empowered to raise by way of loan under the provisions of the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, 1931, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$2,000,000,000.

as may be required for the purpose of defraying such expenses or making such advances or loans, the principal and interest of any such loan to be a charge upon and payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

3. That the Governor in Council be empowered to re-expend, advance or loan moneys that may be received by way of refund or repayment of advances, loans or expenditures under the War Appropriation Acts of 1939 (Second Session), 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944.

Whereupon, Mr. Hsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, informed the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject-matter of the said proposed Resolution, recommends it to the House.

After Debate thereon it was resolved,—That the House do go into Committee of the Whole, at the next sitting of the House, to consider the said proposed Resolution.

Mr. Mackenzie King, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Note of March 5, 1945, from the United States Ambassador to Canada to the Secretary of State for External Affairs extending an invitation to Canada to be represented at the Conference of the United Nations at San Francisco on April 25, 1945, to prepare a charter for a general organization for the maintenance of international peace and security; together with a note of the same date from the Secretary of State for External Affairs accepting the invitation on behalf of the Government of Canada.

Mr. Mackenzie King moved,—That the House will, at its next sitting, consider the following Resolution,—

That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve the following Resolution:—

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has been invited by the Government of the United States of America, on behalf of itself and of the Governments of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Republic of China, to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations to be held on April 25th, 1945, at San Francisco in the United States of America to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security, and

WHEREAS the invitation suggests that the conference consider as affording a basis for such a charter the proposals for the establishment of a general international organization which have been made public by the four Governments which participated in the discussions at Dumbarton Oaks, Washington, and

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has accepted the invitation to send representatives to this conference,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED—

- (1) That this House endorses the acceptance by the Government of Canada of the invitation to send representatives to the conference;
- (2) that this House recognizes that the establishment of an effective international organization for the maintenance of international peace

and security is of vital importance to Canada, and, indeed, to the future well-being of mankind; and that it is in the interests of Canada that Canada should become a member of such an organization;

- (3) that this House approves the purposes and principles set forth in the proposals of the four Governments, and considers that these proposals constitute a satisfactory general basis for a discussion of the Charter of the proposed international organization;
- (4) that this House agrees that the representatives of Canada at the conference should use their best endeavours to further the preparation of an acceptable charter for an international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security;
- (5) that the charter establishing the international organization should, before ratification, be submitted to Parliament for approval.

After Debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion; it was agreed to.

Mr. Johnston (London) seconded by Mr. Lapointe (Matapedia-Matane) moved:—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General of Canada:—

To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, one of His Majesty's Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the House of Commons of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

And a Debate arising thereon, the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Lapointe (Matapedia-Matane), adjourned.

Mr. Mackenzie King, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Secretary of State for External Affairs for the year ended December 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

Also,—Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Public Service Re-arrangement and Transfer of Duties Act, The Department of Reconstruction Act, 1944, the War Measures Act, The Returned Soldiers' Insurance Act, The Veterans Insurance Act, The Department of Veterans Affairs Act, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 7995, approved October 13, 1944: transferring to the Minister of Reconstruction certain functions of the Minister of Munitions and Supply with respect to the disposal and allocation of war materials, etc.; also certain functions of the Minister of Trade and Commerce with regard to the National Research Council; and also certain functions of the Minister of Transport with respect to civil aviation.

Order in Council P.C. 8207, approved October 24, 1944: transferring to the Minister of Reconstruction, the Meteorological Services of the Department of Transport; the administration of the Radio Act, 1938, the Trans-Canada Air Lines Act, 1937, and the Aeronautics Act, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8368, approved October 30, 1944: transferring to the Minister of Reconstruction the functions, etc., vested in the Minister of Munitions and Supply under the provisions of The Surplus Crown Assets Act, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8051, approved October 17, 1944: transferring to the Minister of Veterans Affairs certain functions of the Minister of Finance with respect to the administration of The Returned Soldiers Insurance Act and The Veterans Insurance Act.

He also laid before the House,—List of Agreements, Protocols and Exchange of Notes (English and French editions) between Canada and various countries as follows:—

Protocol between Canada and other Powers amending the International Agreement of June 8, 1937, for the Regulation of Whaling, signed at London on February 7, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 20).

Exchange of Notes (Ottawa, July 19/22, 1944) between Canada and the United States of America renewing Canada's permission to Pan American Airways Incorporated to fly over Canada between Juneau (Alaska) and Seattle (Washington). (Treaty Series 1944, No. 21).

Exchange of Notes (Washington, July 21, August 5, 1944) between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement to facilitate the ascent of salmon in Hell's Gate Canyon and elsewhere in the Fraser River system. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 22).

Exchange of Notes (Ottawa, August 29, September 8, 1944) between Canada and the United States of America amending Canada's permission to Pan American Airways Incorporated to fly over Canada between Juneau (Alaska) and Seattle (Washington). (Treaty Series 1944, No. 23).

Exchange of Notes (Washington, August 31, September 7, 1944) between Canada and the United States of America extending the agreement for the temporary raising of the level of Lake St. Francis of November 10, 1941. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 26).

Agreement between Canada, Belgium, Greece, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the United States of America on principles having reference to the continuance of coordinated control of merchant shipping signed in London, August 5, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 28).

Protocol between Canada, the United Kingdom and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics providing for the payment of compensation for nickel mines at Petsamo, signed in Moscow, October 8, 1944 (Treaty Series 1944, No. 29).

Memorandum of Agreement between Canada and Newfoundland relating to the establishment of an air base at Goose Bay, Labrador, signed at St. John's, Newfoundland, October 10, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 30).

Agreement between Canada and India on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian war supplies to India under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Acts of Canada 1943 and 1944, signed at Ottawa, November 17, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 31).

Convention between Canada and other Powers modifying the International Sanitary Convention signed at Paris on June 21, 1926, open for signature at Washington, December 15, 1944. Signed for Canada January 15, 1945, subject to ratification. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 32).

Convention between Canada and other Powers modifying the International Sanitary Convention for Aerial Navigation signed at The Hague on April 12, 1933, open for signature at Washington December 15, 1944. Signed for Canada January 15, 1945, subject to ratification. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 33).

He also laid before the House,—Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, between March 9, 1944 and December 31, 1944, in typewritten form (English and French Editions) as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 3204, approved 9th June, 1944: establishing regulations *re* dairy products, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 3205, approved 9th June, 1944: amending National Registration Regulations, 1940.

Order in Council P.C. 3847, approved 27th June, 1944: authorizing the Director of the Veterans' Land Act to place orders for lumber for delivery in 1945.

Order in Council P.C. 3978, approved 1st June, 1944: *re* subsidy on draggers and long line vessels, Atlantic coast, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 3979, approved 1st June, 1944: extending special depreciation allowances to owners of schooner type of fishing vessel, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4080, approved 9th June, 1944: delegating certain powers and duties to Eldorado Mining and Refining, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4130, approved 1st June, 1944: permitting deliveries of wheat exceeding 18 bushels per authorized acre to be made, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4131, approved 1st June, 1944: *re* sunflower and rape seed.

Order in Council P.C. 4184, approved 1st June, 1944: Modifying the duties of J. C. Leslie, Chief Conciliation Officer for Manitoba.

Order in Council P.C. 4186, approved 1st June, 1944: *re* Corps of (Civilian) Canadian Fire Fighters.

Order in Council P.C. 4220, approved 1st June, 1944: rescinding appointment of J. G. Fogo as Chairman of the Housing Coordination Committee, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4221, approved 1st June, 1944: rescinding appointment of J. G. Fogo as Associate Coordinator of Controls and appointing A. E. McMaster as Assistant Coordinator of Controls.

Order in Council P.C. 4222, approved 1st June, 1944: appointing F. H. Brown to Advisory Committee on Economic Policy, vice J. G. Fogo.

Order in Council P.C. 4242, approved 2nd June, 1944: providing that a Court of Inquiry (King's Regulations and Orders for the Canadian Militia, 1939) may consist of one member only.

Order in Council P.C. 4309, approved 5th June, 1944: *re* naturalization of aliens in the Canadian Army.

Order in Council P.C. 4312, approved 5th June, 1944: The Merchant Seamen Foreign Jurisdiction Order, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 4335, approved 6th June, 1944: providing for the appointment of an Associate Controller of Construction and appointing Major-General P. Mackenzie.

Order in Council P.C. 4340, approved 6th June, 1944: providing subsidies on fruits used in the production of jams, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4342, approved 6th June, 1944: appointing G. W. Swan to Manitoba Wartime Labour Relations Board, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4383, approved 9th June, 1944: prohibiting the export of hardwood track shims, except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 4393, approved 9th June, 1944: designating the services of Canadian merchant ships as services essential to the conduct of the war.

Order in Council P.C. 4428, approved 9th June, 1944: *re* administration and operation of Prisoner-of-War Camp in the Riding Mountains, Manitoba.

Order in Council P.C. 34/4433, approved 10th June, 1944: extending the provisions of the Government Employees Compensation Act to employees of Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation, Wartime Food Corporation and Canadian Wool Board.

Order in Council P.C. 80/4433, approved 10th June, 1944: *re* payments for purchases under Canpay programme.

Order in Council P.C. 175/4433, approved 10th June, 1944: *re* Cost of Living Bonus to Revenue Postmasters.

Order in Council P.C. 4476, approved 13th June, 1944: amending Defence of Canada regulations *re* International Bible Students Association.

Order in Council P.C. 4478, approved 22nd June, 1944: *re* sewage disposal system, Dawson Creek, B.C.

Order in Council P.C. 4486, approved 13th June, 1944: authorizing the use of personnel of the Canadian Army *re* stevedoring work, Halifax.

Order in Council P.C. 33/4520, approved 14th June, 1944: setting out policy *re* insurance on or incidental to the production of munitions and supplies, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4521, approved 13th June, 1944: authorizing the appropriation of certain equipment in the Guild of All Arts Property near Scarborough, Ontario.

Order in Council P.C. 4576, approved 15th June, 1944: appointing E. Kitchen to National Selective Service Advisory Board, vice P. D. MacArthur, resigned.

Order in Council P.C. 4607, approved 15th June, 1944: revoking P.C. 8764, 26th September, 1942, which appointed R. S. Smart as Real Property Administrator.

Order in Council P.C. 4665, approved 16th June, 1944: proclaiming Revision No. 52 of the List of Specified Persons.

Order in Council P.C. 4722, approved 19th June, 1944: providing tariff treatment for articles entering into the cost of manufacture of baling twine, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4723, approved 19th June, 1944: providing tariff treatment for distillers' solubles, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 27/4729, approved 20th June, 1944: authorizing expenditure *re* gift of salted fish to people of Greece.

Order in Council P.C. 55/4729, approved 20th June, 1944: amending the Dependents' Board of Trustees Order.

Order in Council P.C. 4752, approved 20th June, 1944: *re* concessions, by way of debt reduction etc. to heirs of soldier settlers, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4769, approved 23rd June, 1944: providing that military prisoners who refuse to comply with regulations applicable to detention barracks may be required to serve their sentences in civil prisons, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4771, approved 23rd June, 1944: appointing Group Captain B. F. Wood as Associate Director (Essential Civilian N.S.S.).

Order in Council P.C. 4873, approved 26th June, 1944: approving prices of various grades of wheat, fixed by Canadian Wheat Board.

Order in Council P.C. 4934, approved 27th June, 1944: providing that when troops are called out in aid of the civil power they may be required to carry out police, traffic control and patrol duties, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 4935, approved 26th June, 1944: exempting imports of agricultural implements from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 4936, approved 26th June, 1944: exempting materials entering into the manufacture of agricultural implements from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 159/5000, approved 29th June, 1944: gifts from abroad to members of the Armed Forces in Canada, duty free.

Order in Council P.C. 240/5000, approved 29th June, 1944: amending P.C. 194/8855, November 17, 1943, *re* annual increases in salary to employees in the public service.

Order in Council P.C. 5002, approved 30th June, 1944: authorizing the International Fisheries Commission to enter into contracts *re* work at Hell's Gate Canyon and other points on the Fraser River Watershed.

Order in Council P.C. 5059, approved 30th June, 1944: establishing Regulations for the disposal of Petroleum and Natural Gas rights the property of the Crown in the N.W.T. and the Yukon.

Order in Council P.C. 5099, approved 4th July, 1944: constituting The Inter-departmental Meteorological Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 5103, approved 3rd July, 1944: authorizing amendment of agreements with the Provinces concerning vocational training so as to include within the definition "war industry" an industry producing essential civilian goods.

Order in Council P.C. 5104, approved 3rd July, 1944: exempting cotton waste from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 5105, approved 3rd July, 1944: exempting certain fresh fruits from war exchange and special excise taxes.

Order in Council P.C. 5111, approved 3rd July, 1944: authorizing certain officers, R.C.A.F. to convene Courts-Martial.

Order in Council P.C. 4892, approved 4th July, 1944: constituting the Food Requirements Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 33/5177, approved 7th July, 1944: amending P.C. 3374, 8th May, 1944 (new consolidated wage rates for employees of the Government of Canada . . . on hourly prevailing rates of pay).

Order in Council P.C. 49/5177, approved 7th July, 1944: *re* employees' benefit and group insurance for Polymer Corporation Ltd.

Order in Council P.C. 80/5177, approved 7th July, 1944: *re* pay and allowances Lt.-Colonel Henri Desrosiers.

Order in Council P.C. 5210, approved 13th July, 1944: The Post-Discharge Re-Establishment Order.

Order in Council P.C. 5216, approved 7th July, 1944: establishing an Overseas Committee of the Dependents' Allowance Board.

Order in Council P.C. 5240, approved 10th July, 1944: establishing the Grain Delivery Regulations, 1944-45.

Order in Council P.C. 5262, approved 10th July, 1944: amending regulations *re* award of Canadian Volunteer Service Medal.

Order in Council P.C. 5266, approved 10th July, 1944: amending P.C. 7942, 12th October, 1943, *re* making available by Canadian Wheat Board of wheat held for account of His Majesty to fill requirements of the United Kingdom, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 53/5275, approved 11th July, 1944: providing financial assistance to dependents of former members of the forces residing outside of Canada, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 55/5275, approved 11th July, 1944: *re* compensation for loss of or from registered postal packets addressed to members of the Armed Forces of Canada serving abroad.

Order in Council P.C. 5392, approved 13th July, 1944: increasing from \$1,500 to \$2,000 the amount which may be expended per unit (under plan of converting suitable buildings into multiple housing units) where more than one bedroom is provided in the unit.

Order in Council P.C. 5416, approved 14th July, 1944: authorizing payment of Compensation to Canadian Furnace Limited *re* production of pig iron.

Order in Council P.C. 5417, approved 14th July, 1944: authorizing payment of freight on shipments of Coke, Canadian Furnace Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 5424, approved 14th July, 1944: making regulations *re* surcharge on certain dairy products when sold for export, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 5428, approved 14th July, 1944: waiving requirement of the Canada Shipping Act that the Governor in Council should consent to the making of claims for salvage services rendered by H.M.C. Ships prior to the final adjudication of such claims.

Order in Council P.C. 5439, approved 17th July, 1944: appointing Judge J. E. Reynolds to Mobilization Board in Administrative Division "C".

Order in Council P.C. 5470, approved 17th July, 1944: prohibiting importation of manila, java or sisal fibres, except under licence.

Order in Council P.C. 5487, approved 18th July, 1944: authorizing the Minister of Mines and Resources to withdraw lands from disposal in the Northwest and Yukon Territories.

Order in Council P.C. 5519, approved 18th July, 1944: *re* banking arrangements, Eldorado Mining and Refining.

Order in Council P.C. 5521, approved 18th July, 1944: extending to 15th February, 1945, the time during which the railways may not offer inducements to travel in the form of reduced fares.

Order in Council P.C. 5529, approved 21st July, 1944: making provisions for service in Civil Affairs Units in War Endorsement on policies of Civil Service Insurance.

Order in Council P.C. 148/5547, approved 19th July, 1944: extending provisions Government Employees Compensation Act to employees, Aids to Navigation, Prescott and charging expenses to Department of Transport Defence Projects—Employees Compensation Clearing Account.

Order in Council P.C. 149/5547, approved 19th July, 1944: *re* calculation of gratuities for employees retiring under the Penitentiary Act.

Order in Council P.C. 9/5547, approved 19th July, 1944: *re* special allowances to stenographers, etc. employed in the Ottawa District.

Order in Council P.C. 5549, approved 19th July, 1944: providing for the use of distinguishing mark to be affixed to surplus Crown assets on their disposal by War Assets Corporation.

Order in Council P.C. 5550, approved 21st July, 1944: appointing Regional Selective Service Advisory Board, Maritime Employment Region.

Order in Council P.C. 5626, approved 21st July, 1944: appointing W. J. Callaghan, Tariff Investigator, Department of Finance, to be a Temporary Member and Temporary Vice-Chairman of the Tariff Board.

Order in Council P.C. 5638, approved 21st July, 1944: appointing Ernest St-Amand to Quebec Wartime Labour Relations Board, vice E. Demers.

Order in Council P.C. 5639, approved 24th July, 1944: appointing Fred Smelts, Esquire, to be a member of the Mobilization Board in Division "K," Vancouver, B.C.

Order in Council P.C. 5640, approved 21st July, 1944: exempting Canadian Wheat Board from provisions of Section 14 of the Canadian Wheat Board Act, and authorizing it to deal in Canada Eastern Winter Wheats.

Order in Council P.C. 5697, approved 24th July, 1944: authorizing the Minister of Munitions and Supply to recover excessive fees, commissions, etc. received by agents *re* munitions contracts.

Order in Council P.C. 5741, approved 24th July, 1944: providing that exports of linseed oil may be made only after repayment to Canadian Wheat Board of benefit the exporter received, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 5744, approved 24th July, 1944: the Prize Salvage Order, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 5745, approved 25th July, 1944: establishing a form of import control of certain goods to replace, on August 1, 1944, the control provided for by the War Exchange Conservation Act, 1940.

Order in Council 5746, approved 25th July, 1944: granting special depreciation to the Steel Company of Canada Limited *re* strip sheet mill.

Order in Council P.C. 15/5770, approved 26th July, 1944: leave of absence without pay to employees for military service.

Order in Council P.C. 17/5770, approved 26th July, 1944: refund of transportation expenses if employee does not render six months' continuous service.

Order in Council P.C. 5813, approved 27th July, 1944: revoking the Regulations Respecting Protection of Petroleum Reserves and the appointment of F. C. Mechin as Director thereof.

Order in Council P.C. 5900, approved 27th July, 1944: amending the Defence of Canada regulations with reference to racing and homing pigeons.

Order in Council P.C. 5913, approved 27th July, 1944: revoking amendments to the Dominion Elections Act, 1938, made by Order in Council P.C. 364, dated Jan. 27, 1940.

Order in Council P.C. 5998, approved 31st July, 1944: establishing the Oats and Barley Regulations 1944-45.

Order in Council P.C. 5999, approved 31st July, 1944: exempting oranges from duty of customs for the period of August 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 4770, approved 16th August, 1944: Royal Canadian Air Force Benevolent Fund.

Order in Council P.C. 1/6000, approved 1st August, 1944: amending regulations respecting the establishment of reserve stocks of feed grains in Eastern Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 2/6000, approved 1st August, 1944: authorizing the Special Products Board to purchase and be the sole exporter of certain agricultural seeds and to pay to producers thereof guaranteed returns and any net profits earned.

Order in Council P.C. 6008, approved 1st August, 1944: providing for import control of sugar candy.

Order in Council P.C. 6009, approved 1st August, 1944: exempting waste portions of unused fabrics, or used garments from customs duty.

Order in Council P.C. 6010, approved 1st August, 1944: exempting dried whey, dried skim milk and dried buttermilk from customs duty and war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 6011, approved 1st August, 1944: exempting heavy fuel oil from customs duty during 1944 under certain conditions.

Order in Council P.C. 6012, approved 1st August, 1944: providing for a customs drawback of 99 per cent on bituminous coal screenings converted into coke for use in smelting, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 6022, approved 1st August, 1944: continuing payments in respect of western wheat purchased for feed purposes.

Order in Council P.C. 6024, approved 8th August, 1944: prohibiting the export of books, except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 6066, approved 4th August, 1944: terminating the direct control over the production of new models of machines, appliances or other articles.

Order in Council P.C. 6105, approved 4th August, 1944: approving an agreement with the Nova Scotia Apple Marketing Board Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 6106, approved 4th August, 1944: establishing regulations governing the Nova Scotia Apple Marketing Board Limited.

Order in Council 6110, approved 4th August, 1944: providing that certain orders by the Department of Munitions and Supply for supplies shall not be deemed "contracts" under Section 8 of the Department of Munitions and Supply Act.

Order in Council P.C. 6167, approved 9th August, 1944: *re* the appointment of Director of Civil Defence.

Order in Council P.C. 6227, approved 8th August, 1944: amending regulations *re* sale and use of codeine.

Order in Council P.C. 6233, approved 8th August, 1944: appointing E. A. Jamieson a member of the Mobilization Board, Vancouver, B.C.

Order in Council P.C. 6234, approved 8th August, 1944: amending the Wartime Leasehold Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 6241, approved 8th August, 1944: *re* importation of manufactured asphalt products.

Order in Council P.C. 6242, approved 18th August, 1944: amending the Regulations of the Wartime Prices & Trade Board.

Order in Council P.C. 50/6270, approved 9th August, 1944: *re* Auxiliary Services Personnel.

Order in Council P.C. 6300, approved 11th August, 1944: amending the Stabilization of Longshore Labour (Halifax) Order.

Order in Council P.C. 6301, approved 9th August, 1944: amending agreements with the Prairie Provinces *re* transportation of harvesting equipment.

Order in Council P.C. 6355, approved 11th August, 1944: amending the Wartime Industries Control Board Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 6419, approved 14th August, 1944: *re* placing orders for railway equipment C.N. Railway, 1945.

Order in Council P.C. 6421, approved 12th August, 1944: revoking import permit control over metal containers and closures.

Order in Council P.C. 6422, approved 12th August, 1944: Dependents Transportation Regulations, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 6464, approved 16th day of August, 1944: *re* appointment of Deputy Wartime Administrator of Canadian Atlantic Ports.

Order in Council P.C. 6468, approved 16th August, 1944: amending Defence of Canada Regulations (Consolidation) 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 6469, approved 16th August, 1944: making further reduction in premiums under War Risk Insurance Act, 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 6490, approved 16th August, 1944: appointing Gaston Ledoux to Quebec Wartime Labour Relations Board.

Order in Council P.C. 6491, approved 16th August, 1944: *re* sulphur content of dried fruits.

Order in Council P.C. 6492, approved 16th August, 1944: providing for representation of the Department of Labour on the External Trade Advisory Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 6495, approved 18th August, 1944: consolidating various Orders *re* employment of prisoners of war.

Order in Council P.C. 6500, approved 18th August, 1944: *re* payments to old age and blind pensioners in the Northwest Territories.

Order in Council P.C. 6502, approved 22nd August, 1944: amending the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order, 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 6570, approved 22nd August, 1944: providing for assistance to movements of coal to B.C. points from the Brooks area of Alberta.

Order in Council P.C. 6632, approved 22nd August, 1944: revoking the various Orders *re* control of "supplies".

Order in Council P.C. 90/6650, approved 23rd August, 1944: importations of Steep Rock iron ore exempt from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 6651, approved 22nd August, 1944: exempting materials used in the production of agricultural implements from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 6673, approved 25th August, 1944: authorizing certain licensed pilots, St. John, N.B., to take command of pilot vessels.

Order in Council P.C. 6697, approved 25th August, 1944: extending the authority granted to the Wartime Administrator of Canadian Atlantic Ports by P.C. 8834, 18th November, 1943.

Order in Council P.C. 6713, approved 25th August, 1944: amending P.C. 4600, 7th June, 1943, *re* appeals from summary conviction trials, Province of Quebec.

Order in Council P.C. 6814, approved 29th August, 1944: providing for the conversion of suitable buildings, Nanaimo, B.C., into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 6901, approved 31st August, 1944: providing that N.R.M. Act personnel may be sent to any of the places provided in P.C. 6296 even if not on the strength of an Active Army Unit.

Order in Council P.C. 6848, approved 1st September, 1944: providing for recovery by Canadian Wheat Board and distribution among producers of difference between export and domestic prices Ontario winter wheat flour.

Order in Council P.C. 6891, approved 1st September, 1944: revoking two Orders *re* silk supplies.

Order in Council P.C. 6893, approved 1st September, 1944: amending War-time Labour Relations Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 6898, approved 1st September, 1944: covering payments under Producers Participation Certificates 1941 and 1942 crop years.

Order in Council P.C. 6905, approved 1st September, 1944: declaring in force Part IV of the National Housing Act, 1944, for Kamsack, Saskatchewan.

Order in Council P.C. 6937, approved 5th September, 1944: proclaiming Revision No. 53 of the List of Specified Persons.

Order in Council P.C. 7034, approved 8th September, 1944: establishing official grades for peas grown in Western Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 7037, approved 8th September, 1944: appointing Clayton F. Elderkin as Controller of the business and undertaking of Bloctube Controls of Canada, Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 7058, approved 12th September, 1944: approving agreement with Nova Scotia Apple Marketing Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7059, approved 12th September, 1944: approving agreement with British Columbia Fruit Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7060, approved 12th September, 1944: making regulations with respect to the British Columbia Fruit Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7061, approved 12th September, 1944: bringing Part IV of the National Housing Act into force in territory adjacent to Kamsack, Saskatchewan.

Order in Council P.C. 7065, approved 12th September, 1944: providing for representation for the Department of Fisheries on the Inter-departmental Meteorological Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 7080, approved 12th September, 1944: amending the Regulations *re* Transit.

Order in Council P.C. 59/7093, approved 13th September, 1944: authorizing the payment of drawback of customs duty, war exchange, sales and excise taxes *re* goods purchased by departments of the Government of Canada with Mutual Aid Funds.

Order in Council P.C. 337/7093, approved 13th September, 1944: providing for refund or remission of Customs duty, etc., on materials to be incorporated into aircraft for the U.S. Government when imported by Boeing Aircraft of Canada, Ltd.

Order in Council P.C. 7096, approved 15th September, 1944: removing import control of vanilla beans.

Order in Council P.C. 7161, approved 15th September, 1944: revoking appointment of J. G. Glasco as Controller of de Havilland Aircraft of Canada and appointing a Control Committee to carry on his duties.

Order in Council P.C. 7203, approved 19th September, 1944: making Orders of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board *re* uses of trucks Orders of the Transit Controller.

Order in Council P.C. 7206, approved 19th September, 1944: *re* constituting The Air Council.

Order in Council P.C. 7207, approved 19th September, 1944: authorizing guarantee to chartered banks of Canada of repayment of loans made to Canadian Wheat Board for purposes of the Flaxseed Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 7208, approved 19th September, 1944: authorizing guarantee to chartered banks of Canada of repayment of loans made to Canadian Wheat Board for the purposes of the Sunflower and Rapeseed Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 7281, approved 19th September, 1944: appointing Colonel G. LeB. Ross to the Army Salvage and Disposal Board, vice Colonel G. W. Cavey.

Order in Council P.C. 7299, approved 19th September, 1944: appointing J. M. Kitchen a Deputy Controller of Construction, vice G. K. Fiske.

Order in Council P.C. 7300, approved 19th September, 1944: appointing W. A. Newman as Aircraft Controller, vice R. P. Bell.

Order in Council P.C. 7318, approved 21st September, 1944: *re* entry into Canada of dependents of members of the Armed Forces of Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 7319, approved 19th September, 1944: authorizing payment of drawback to flour millers in respect of wheat milled for domestic consumption.

Order in Council P.C. 7388, approved 21st September, 1944: providing special depreciation for McKinnon Industries, Ltd. in connection with their establishment of a plant for the production of anti-friction bearings.

Order in Council P.C. 7395, approved 26th September, 1944: providing tariff treatment, exemption from War Exchange and Special Excise taxes for coquina shells.

Order in Council P.C. 7397, approved 26th September, 1944: authorizing payment to B.C. Electric Power and Gas Company *re* coal delivered to it during the strike in November, 1943.

Order in Council P.C. 7416, approved 26th September, 1944: making appointments to Saskatchewan Wartime Labour Relations Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7425, approved 26th September, 1944: *re* sales by Agricultural Supplies Board of evaporated apples.

Order in Council P.C. 7426, approved 26th September, 1944: *re* agreement with Nova Scotia Apple Marketing Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7518, approved 28th September, 1944: replacing orders for railway equipment C.N. Railways, 1945.

Order in Council P.C. 7524, approved 28th September, 1944: amending the R.C.A.F. (Air Force Act Amendment) Order No. 1, 1943.

Order in Council P.C. 7548, approved 28th September, 1944: revoking appointment as Controller of Construction of John Schofield, and appointing Major General MacKenzie in his place.

Order in Council P.C. 7549, approved 28th September, 1944: authorizing incorporation of a government-owned Company "Aero Meters Limited".

Order in Council P.C. 7429, approved 3rd October, 1944: *re* employment of members of active units and formations of the Canadian Army on projects or undertakings deemed to be in the National interest.

Order in Council P.C. 7523, approved 6th October, 1944: extending powers, duties and functions of Canadian Medical Procurement and Assignment Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7584, approved 3rd October, 1944: applying provisions of Government Employees Compensation Act to employees of Turbo Research, Ltd.

Order in Council P.C. 7594, approved 3rd October, 1944: *re* cars ordered for loading grain.

Order in Council P.C. 7601, approved 3rd October, 1944: exempting paraffin wax from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 7602, approved 3rd October, 1944: exempting from taxes imported trophies of war.

Order in Council P.C. 7604, approved 3rd October, 1944: revoking the appointment as a Deputy Timber Controller of G. P. Kaye.

Order in Council P.C. 7630, approved 3rd October, 1944: appointing D. Matheson a member of the Alberta Regional War Labour Board for a short period.

Order in Council P.C. 7680, approved 3rd October, 1944: confirming action of the Under Secretary of State in requisitioning the Chateau Frontenac at Quebec for the purposes of the Conference.

Order in Council P.C. 7681, approved 3rd October, 1944: confirming action of the Under Secretary of State in requisitioning the Clarendon Hotel, Quebec, P.Q., for the purposes of the Conference.

Order in Council P.C. 7682, approved 3rd October, 1944: confirming action of the Under Secretary of State in requisitioning a portion of the St. Louis Hotel, Quebec, P.Q., for purposes of the Conference.

Order in Council P.C. 7716, approved 3rd October, 1944: appointing B. E. Harrison a Deputy Timber Controller.

Order in Council P.C. 7740, approved 3rd October, 1944: applying provisions of Government Employees Compensation Act to employees at Government owned project near Chalk River, Ontario.

Order in Council P.C. 7742, approved 6th October, 1944: authorizing the acquisition of additional buildings in Victoria, Vancouver, Nanaimo, B.C., for conversion into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 7743, approved 6th October, 1944: authorizing the acquisition of additional buildings in Montreal and Quebec for conversion into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 7744, approved 6th October, 1944: authorizing the acquisition of additional buildings—Edmonton, Calgary, Winnipeg and Fernie for conversion into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 7745, approved 6th October, 1944: authorizing the acquisition of additional buildings in Hamilton, Brantford, St. Catharines and Galt for conversion into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 102/7746, approved 4th October, 1944: amending P.C. 53/4120, 19th May, 1943, *re* compensation for loss of registered or insured postal packets.

Order in Council P.C. 160/7746, approved 4th October, 1944: Veterans' Dual Service Pension Order.

Order in Council P.C. 161/7746, approved 4th October, 1944: War Veterans' Allowance Act—no deductions *re* payments under War Services Grants.

Order in Council P.C. 162/7746, approved 4th October, 1944: extending benefits, War Veterans' Allowance Act, to veterans of present war and of the N.W. Rebellion, 1885.

Order in Council P.C. 7753, approved 6th October, 1944: permitting an increase in the tariff of fares and tolls, Sombra-Marine City ferry.

Order in Council P.C. 7754, approved 6th October, 1944: permitting an increase in the tariff of fares and tolls, Walpole Island-Algonac ferry.

Order in Council P.C. 7755, approved 6th October, 1944: permitting an increase in the tariff of fares and tolls, Port Lambton-Roberts Landing ferry.

Order in Council P.C. 7762, approved 6th October, 1944: amending Defence of Canada Regulations (Consolidation), 1942, *re* wearing of uniforms.

Order in Council P.C. 7802, approved 6th October, 1944: extending the time during which wood fuel may be contracted for and cut to be entitled to subsidy.

Order in Council P.C. 7860, approved 10th October, 1944: appointing Major C. M. Belyea to the Regional Selective Service Advisory Board, Maritime Employment Region.

Order in Council P.C. 7878, approved 13th October, 1944: *re* furnishing of information by importers to Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Order in Council P.C. 7880, approved 13th October, 1944: amending the Regulations *re* War Savings Certificates.

Order in Council P.C. 7909, approved 10th October, 1944: *re* disposal of machine tools.

Order in Council P.C. 4/7934, approved 14th October, 1944: approving agreement with British Columbia Dehydrators, Ltd.

Order in Council P.C. 160/7934, approved 14th October, 1944: amending the Government Employees Compensation Regulations, 1942 (Nfld.).

Order in Council P.C. 7990, approved 13th October, 1944: providing for an Acting Chairman, Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Order in Council P.C. 76/8058, approved 18th October, 1944: *re* payment of outstanding income tax liability by members of the Armed Forces of Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 120/8058, approved 18th October, 1944: Waiving overpayments of superannuation allowance or militia pension to persons in the employ of the Inspection Board of the U.K. and Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 8060, approved 20th October, 1944: relieving the Canadian Wheat Board from the obligation of purchasing rape seed at prices fixed in P.C. 4131, June 1, 1944, except in the Western Division.

Order in Council P.C. 8093, approved 20th October, 1944: extending the provisions of the Government Employees' Compensation Act to employees of Aero Meters, Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 8096, approved 17th October, 1944: appointing a committee to co-ordinate the information activities of government departments connected with demobilization, rehabilitation, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8128, approved 20th October, 1944: revoking the appointment of J. H. Coffey as a Deputy Machine Tools Controller.

Order in Council P.C. 8147, approved 20th October, 1944: ratifying agreement between International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission and Canadian Pacific Railway Company covering works at Hell's Gate Canyon.

Order in Council P.C. 8188, approved 24th October, 1944: proclaiming Revision No. 54 of the List of Specified Persons.

Order in Council P.C. 16/8202, approved 25th October, 1944: *re* losses of remittances made for purchase of War Savings Certificates.

Order in Council P.C. 76/8202, approved 25th October, 1944: amending P.C. 29/2544, 11th April, 1941, *re* Canadian Claims Commission (Overseas).

Order in Council P.C. 161/8202, approved 25th October, 1944: providing that appointments to vacant positions of Postmaster of Revenue Post Offices be included under Section 57A of the Civil Service Act, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8207, approved 24th October, 1944: *re* transfer to the Minister of Reconstruction the Meteorological Services of the Department of Transport, the administration of the Radio Act, 1938, the Trans-Canada Air Lines Act, 1937, and the Aeronautics Act, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8211, approved 24th October, 1944: *re* control exercised over the business of Montreal Tramways Company.

Order in Council P.C. 8212, approved 24th October, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 8219, approved 24th October, 1944: directing the shutting off of the water supply of Prince Rupert, B.C., so that a meter can be installed.

Order in Council P.C. 8265, approved 27th October, 1944: authorizing the incorporation of Eldorado Mining and Refining (1944) Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 8288, approved 27th October, 1944: amending the Pacific Herring Production Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 8293, approved 27th October, 1944: amending P.C. 3455, May 9, 1944, *re* New Brunswick Wartime Labour Regulations Board.

Order in Council P.C. 8306, approved 30th October, 1944: *re* maintenance of discipline among members of the Armed Forces of Canada undergoing treatment in hospitals of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Order in Council P.C. 8308, approved 30th October, 1944: providing for the conversion of suitable buildings at Kingston, Trenton, Gananoque and Brockville into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 105/8367, approved 31st October, 1944: *re* transportation to Canada of wives and dependents of the Corps of (Civilian) Canadian Fire Fighters.

Order in Council P.C. 108/8367, approved 31st October, 1944: amending the Post-Discharge Re-establishment Order.

Order in Council P.C. 128/8367, approved 31st October, 1944: providing that payments to discharged persons under paragraphs 6, 8 and 9 of the Post-Discharge Re-Establishment Order shall not be liable to taxation.

Order in Council P.C. 8369, approved 30th October, 1944: prohibiting the importation of Cocoa Butter and honey, except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 8396, approved 1st November, 1944: authorizing settlements with prime contractors *re* munitions contracts terminated.

Order in Council P.C. 8397, approved 1st November, 1944: authorizing settlement directly with sub-contractors *re* contracts terminated by a prime contractor, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8401, approved 1st November, 1944: exempting Synthetic Resins from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 8493, approved 7th November, 1944: authorizing the entry into of a new agreement with Federal Aircraft Ltd.

Order in Council P.C. 8503, approved 7th November, 1944: reducing the rate of customs duty on fresh tomatoes of Mexican origin.

Order in Council P.C. 8505, approved 7th November, 1944: appointing W. Elliott Wilson, Chief Executive Officer of the Manitoba Regional War Labour Board and Wartime Labour Relations Board, to be Vice-Chairman of the said Boards.

Order in Council P.C. 8506, approved 7th November, 1944: appointing T. W. Cook to the Regional Selective Service Advisory Board, Ontario Region, vice H. A. Logan resigned.

Order in Council P.C. 3/8550, approved 8th November, 1944: *re* payment of freight on alfalfa seed from Western Canada to points in Eastern Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 50/8550, approved 8th November, 1944: *re* remuneration to Judges appointed to act as Commissioners of Inquiry, Arbitrators, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 121/8550, approved 8th November, 1944: *re* duty and taxes on tires shipped to the United States to be mounted on motor vehicles for shipment to Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 8551, approved the 10th day of November, 1944: designating services rendered in training New Zealand airmen in Canada as essential to the conduct of the war under the Mutual Aid Act.

Order in Council P.C. 8552, approved 10th November, 1944: appointing J. Acheson as an alternate member, Regional Selective Service Advisory Board, Prairie Region.

Order in Council P.C. 8563, approved 10th November, 1944: designating certain books, orders, documents, etc. as regimental books for the purposes of the Army Act.

Order in Council P.C. 8640, approved 10th November, 1944: providing for depreciation at double the rates normally allowed in respect of plant or equipment built or acquired in the period set out.

Order in Council P.C. 8702, approved 14th November, 1944: authorizing the remission of duty and taxes on alcoholic beverages imported for personal use of the United States Armed Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 8726, approved 27th November, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 8739, approved 20th November, 1944: appointing F. J. Dolan to Regional Selective Service Advisory Board for the Pacific Region.

Order in Council P.C. 8747, approved 20th November, 1944: extending the period during which certain payments may be made by Fairmont Company to Rubber Reserve Company.

Order in Council P.C. 8748, approved 20th November, 1944: *re* Control Committee operating De Havilland Aircraft of Canada, Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 8762, approved 20th November, 1944: vesting the powers of a District Officer Commanding in certain senior officers of the military forces of Canada overseas.

Order in Council P.C. 8820, approved 20th November, 1944: accepting the resignation of W. C. Macdonald, Esq., M.P., as Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of National Defence.

Order in Council P.C. 8822, approved 21st November, 1944: providing tariff treatment and exemption from war exchange tax for woven fabrics of cotton, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 8823, approved 21st November, 1944: providing for free entry and exemption from war exchange tax of eumene bottoms.

Order in Council P.C. 2/8848, approved 22nd November, 1944: *re* payments of transportation expenses of hogs from Maritime Provinces to Quebec and Ontario Provinces for slaughter.

Order in Council P.C. 45/8848, approved 22nd November, 1944: the Civilian Government Employees (War) Compensation Order.

Order in Council P.C. 129/8848, approved 22nd November, 1944: *re* sales tax on raw materials acquired by a contractor for the purpose of carrying out a munitions contract terminated before completion.

Order in Council P.C. 8910, approved 24th November, 1944: amending the Wartime Prices and Trade Board Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 8939, approved 27th November, 1944: amending agreement with Nova Scotia Apple Marketing Board.

Order in Council P.C. 8964, approved 27th November, 1944: placing the French Legation, French Consular etc. properties in Canada in the custody of the Provisional Government of France.

Order in Council P.C. 8965, approved 27th November, 1944: placing the funds in certain accounts maintained by the Bank of Canada in the custody of the Provisional Government of France.

Order in Council P.C. 8967, approved 28th November, 1944: appointing H. M. Martin, Esquire, as Public Administrator for the Yukon Territory.

Order in Council P.C. 8972, approved 28th November, 1944: exempting imports of bristles from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 191/8990, approved 29th November, 1944: authorizing the War Veterans Allowance Board to make compassionate allowances to widows and orphans of veterans of the present war and the Northwest Rebellion.

Order in Council P.C. 8999, approved 29th November, 1944: amending P.C. 7994, September 4, 1942, *re* administration of the National Selective Service Regulations, 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 9029, approved 30th November, 1944: *re* admission to Canada of dependents of members of the Corps of (Civilian) Canadian Fire Fighters.

Order in Council P.C. 8937, approved 12th December, 1944: making appointments to Regional Selective Service Advisory Boards.

Order in Council P.C. 9027, approved 19th December, 1944: amending P.C. 9239, December 2, 1943, "The Dependents' Board of Trustees Order".

Order in Council P.C. 9044, approved 1st December, 1944: *re* authorities to convene Courts Martial, R.C.A.F.

Order in Council P.C. 9086, approved 4th December, 1944: proclaiming revision No. 55 of the List of Specified Persons.

Order in Council P.C. 9131, approved 4th December, 1944: accepting the resignation of Joseph Jean, Esq., M.P., as Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Justice.

Order in Council P.C. 9134, approved 4th December, 1944: amending P.C. 7942, 12th October, 1943—definition of "western wheat".

Order in Council P.C. 9135, approved 5th December, 1944: exempting imports of rubber or gutta percha waste or junk from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 9144, approved 5th December, 1944: appointing William Gardner to Saskatchewan Regional War Labour Board and Wartime Labour Relations Board, vice H. D. Davis resigned.

Order in Council P.C. 9148, approved 5th December, 1944: *re* pay of members of the Military Forces of Canada detailed for duty in civilian employment.

Order in Council P.C. 2/9151, approved 6th December, 1944: authorizing the Agricultural Supplies Board to arrange for the production of seeds.

Order in Council P.C. 8/9151, approved 6th December, 1944: establishing The Fertilizer Freight Assistance Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 9152, approved 5th December, 1944: amending P.C. 8640, 10th November, 1944 *re* double depreciation.

Order in Council P.C. 9201, approved 15th December, 1944: appointing V. C. MacDonald as Chairman of the Nova Scotia Regional War Labour Board and Nova Scotia Wartime Labour Relations Board. etc.

Order in Council P.C. 9225, approved 15th December, 1944: appointing Mr. Justice D. A. McNiven as Chairman of the Saskatchewan Regional War Labour Board and the Saskatchewan Wartime Labour Relations Board. etc.

Order in Council P.C. 9229, approved 12th December, 1944: vesting in the Adjutant-General, etc. certain powers now exercisable by the Army Council under the provisions of Section 70(1) (*ee*) of the Army Act.

Order in Council P.C. 9245, approved 12th December, 1944: authorizing the retention on discharge of certain articles of clothing and equipment—Corps of (Civilian) Canadian Fire Fighters.

Order in Council P.C. 9246, approved 12th December, 1944: revoking Orders *re* Control of Machine Tools.

Order in Council P.C. 9265, approved 12th December, 1944: discontinuing war risk insurance on grain in elevators licensed under The Canada Grain Act, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 109/9267, approved 13th December, 1944: *re* sale of duty free goods to Canadian Nationals at isolated U.S. Army bases.

Order in Council P.C. 9271, approved 15th December, 1944: exempting imports of sodium fluoride for use in the treatment of water as a preventive of dental caries from war exchange tax.

Order in Council P.C. 9272, approved 15th December, 1944: providing for free entry, exemption from war exchange tax, etc. of riboflavin.

Order in Council P.C. 9303, approved 15th December, 1944: appointing A. J. Andrews as Controller of Canadian Aircraft Instruments and Accessories, Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 9304, approved 15th December, 1944: authorizing repayment to Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation of subsidy paid by them on logs.

Order in Council P.C. 9313, approved 15th December, 1944: appointing Mr. Geo. Johns to the Saskatchewan Wartime Labour Relations Board and Saskatchewan Regional War Labour Board, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 9342, approved 15th December, 1944: continuing Special Tariff Treatment of towels, glass cloths, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 9343, approved 21st December, 1944: rescinding Section 2 or P.C. 7191, 12th September, 1941—*re* importation of rubber.

Order in Council P.C. 9345, approved 15th December, 1944: providing for representation of Department of Reconstruction, the Tariff Board and Agricultural Prices Support Board, on the External Trade Advisory Committee.

Order in Council P.C. 9439, approved 19th December, 1944: the Emergency Shelter Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 9440, approved 19th December, 1944: The War Service Gratuity Regulations, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 139/9417, approved 20th December, 1944: permitting entry of jute yarn of San Quentin Penitentiary Production Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation.

Order in Council P.C. 9470, approved 21st December, 1944: providing that government property acquired after August 17, 1944 be not insured under War Risk Insurance Act, 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 9478, approved 21st December, 1944: prohibiting the importation of crude rubber except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 9479, approved 21st December, 1944: revoking P.C. 3773, 7th May, 1942, *re* importation of vehicles equipped with rubber tires.

Order in Council P.C. 9480, approved 21st December, 1944: prohibiting the importation of certain goods, except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 9481, approved 21st December, 1944: prohibiting the importation of certain chemicals except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 9482, approved 21st December, 1944: providing tariff treatment, exemption from war exchange tax, etc., for dried whey, skim milk, buttermilk, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 9483, approved 21st December, 1944: providing tariff treatment, exemption from war exchange and special excise taxes, etc. for yeast, dead or inactive.

Order in Council P.C. 9484, approved 21st December, 1944: authorizing the assumption by the Government of Canada of contracts for munitions, etc., entered into on behalf of the Government of New Zealand.

Order in Council P.C. 9491, approved 21st December, 1944: providing for the office of Deputy Aircraft Controller, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 9505, approved 21st December, 1944: amendments of the Wartime Salaries Order.

Order in Council P.C. 9540, approved 27th December, 1944: *re* subsidy on Wood Fuel.

Order in Council P.C. 9541, approved 27th December, 1944: cancelling certain tariff treatment of zinc.

Order in Council P.C. 9553, approved 27th December, 1944: establishing Revised procedure for hearing of pension applications arising out of the present war.

Order in Council P.C. 50/9555, approved 28th December, 1944: *re* employment of members of the Canadian Army on projects in Canada deemed to be in the national interest.

Order in Council P.C. 67/9555, approved 28th December, 1944: *re* return to Canada of personnel of Canadian Army sentenced by Court Martial to dismissal, etc.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House the Report of the Librarians of Parliament, which is as follows:—

To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons:

The Joint Librarians of Parliament have the honour to submit their report on the Library for the year 1944.

The Supplementary Catalogue of books donated and purchased during 1944 is in course of printing and will be distributed as soon as possible.

The Library has lost five of its staff in the past year; three by death—Mr. H. D. Throop, Mr. H. C. Stock, and Mrs. A. Tremblay; two by retirement—Mr. J. G. Pigeon and Mr. R. M. Hamilton. Mr. Throop had been in the Library over thirty years, Mr. Stock twenty-seven years, and Mrs. Tremblay twenty-three years. Mr. Pigeon retired after forty-four years service. All these officials filled important positions and will be hard to replace, particularly at this time when trained librarians are hard to obtain.

The need of increased space for the library, which the Librarians have emphasized in their annual reports for many years, has become so acute that in parts of the Library books are being piled on the floor. When post-war projects are being considered the question of additional space for the Library of Parliament should not be forgotten.

The lighting condition has become worse since our last report. Whole sections of the library have been left in darkness for months, necessitating the use of electric torches by the Library Staff.

The supply of books from English publishers remains small, and in the past year publishers in the United States also have had to curtail the number of their publications. French publishers have advised us that they will begin shortly to export books again to this country.

Respectfully submitted,

FELIX DESROCHERS,

F. A. HARDY,

Joint Librarians.

Library of Parliament,
Ottawa, 19th March, 1945.

Mr. Crerar, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Mines and Resources including Report of Soldier Settlement of Canada for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

Also,—Annual Return of Permits issued during the calendar year 1944 as required by subsection 2 of section 4 of the Immigration Act.

Also,—Statement respecting loans made to Indians during the calendar year 1944, out of the Revolving Fund as established under subsection 1 of section 94 (b) of the Indian Act, Chapter 31, Statutes of Canada, 1938.

Also,—Statement showing the number of Enfranchisements under the Indian Act during the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1944, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 98, section 113, of the Revised Statutes, 1927.

Also,—Return showing land sales and leases cancelled by the Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines and Resources, from January 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944.

Also,—Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act, R.S.C. 113, 1927, Section 75, since the last Return to Parliament.

Also,—Statement with respect to liquor permits issued during the period January 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944, as required by Section 93 of the Northwest Territories Act, Chapter 142, R.S.C. 1927.

Also,—Copies of Regulations established by Orders in Council passed since the last return to Parliament under the provisions of the Migratory Birds Convention Act, Chapter 16, of the Statutes of Canada, 1932-33.

Also,—Copy of Ordinances passed under the provisions of Section 13 of the Northwest Territories Act, Chapter 142, R.S.C., 1927, Respecting the exportation of furs; and amending the Motor Vehicle Ordinance.

Also,—Statement under section 7, of the Reclamation Act, R.S.C. 1927, chapter 175, in respect to the construction of drainage works during the past year.

Also,—Statement *re* Leases, Licences, permits or other authorities cancelled, since last report to Parliament, under the provisions of R.S.C. 1927, chapter 113, section 96. (Dominion Lands Act).

Also,—Statement respecting seed grain and relief indebtedness under the provisions of section 2, chapter 51, 17 George V, intituled: "An Act respecting certain debts due the Crown," from January 1, 1944 to December 30, 1944.

And also,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 5315, approved July 13, 1944: amending the Regulations with respect to oil and gas on Indian Reserves, tabled as required by Section 161 of the Indian Act, Chapter 98, R.S.C., 1927.

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Public Accounts of Canada and Report of the Auditor General for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1931, C. 27. SS. 38 and 50.

Also,—Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for the year ended December 31, 1943 (Volume I, Insurance Companies other than Life); Statutes of Canada 1932, c. 45, s. 9.

Also,—Statement of Expenditures from the Appropriation for Unforeseen Expenses, Vote 68, Appropriation Act 1944-45.

Also,—Report of the Superintendent of Insurance on the operations of the Returned Soldiers' Insurance Act for the year ended March 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1920, c. 54, s. 19.

Also,—Report of the Superintendent of Insurance on the operations of the Civil Service Insurance Act for the year ended March 31, 1944; Revised Statutes of Canada 1927, c. 23, s. 21.

Also,—Report of the Federal District Commission and Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the Federal District Commission for the year ended March 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1926-27, c. 55, ss. 15 and 16.

Also,—Report on the operations of the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act 1934, to December 15, 1943 (date of repeal); Statutes of Canada 1934, c. 53, s. 19.

Also,—Report of the Canadian Farm Loan Board for the year ended March 31, 1944, which includes a summary of loan conditions under the Canadian Fisherman's Loan Act.

Also,—Auditor's Report on the Financial Statement of the Canadian Farm Loan Board for the year ended March 31, 1944; included therein the Report of the Auditor respecting the operations of the Canadian Fisherman's Loan Act for the year ended March 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1935, c. 16, s. 13 and c. 52, s. 12.

Also,—Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the National Battlefields Commission for the year ended March 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1908, c. 57, s. 12.

Also,—Returns of Classification of Loans and Deposits in Canada, Chartered Banks of Canada, as at October 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1944, c. 30, s. 118 (3).

Also,—(A) Statement of Allowances granted to civil servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act 1924, during the year ended March 31, 1944;

(B) Statement of Allowances granted to dependents of civil servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act 1924, during the year ended March 31, 1944; and

(C) Statement showing the amount of contributions and payments under the Civil Service Superannuation Act 1924, during the year ended March 31, 1944; Revised Statutes of Canada 1927, c. 24, s. 14.

Also,—List of shareholders in the banks incorporated under the Quebec Savings Banks Act at December 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1934, c. 39, s. 9.

Also,—List of shareholders in the chartered banks of Canada; Statutes of Canada 1944, c. 30, s. 118 (3).

Also,—Annual Report of the Bank of Canada to the Minister of Finance for the year ended December 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1938, c. 42, s. 15.

Also,—Report on the operations of the Central Mortgage Bank for the year ended December 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1939, c. 40, s. 26.

Also,—Report on the operations of the Foreign Exchange Control Board for the year ended December 31, 1944.

Also,—Report on the operations of the Municipal Improvements Assistance Act 1938, for the year ended December 31, 1944; Statutes of Canada 1938, c. 33, s. 10.

Also,—Copies of two Agreements made under the War Exchange Conservation Act 1940; Statutes of Canada 1940-41, c. 2, s. 8.

And also,—Report of the Superintendent of Insurance of the Dominion of Canada for the year ended December 31, 1943—Loan and Trust Companies.

Mr. Gibson, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Financial Regulations for the Royal Canadian Air Force on Active Service, 1945.

And also,—General and Routine Orders promulgated to the Royal Canadian Air Force from January 28, 1944 to March 16, 1945.

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of July 27, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. How many aircraft have been released from service in Canada by (a) the R.C.A.F., and (b) the R.A.F.?

2. How many of these have been sold, (a) for use in Canada; (b) for export; (c) how many have been donated for use in technical schools?

3. How many aircraft have been destroyed in Canada as being obsolete or not airworthy, (a) by the R.C.A.F.; (b) by the R.A.F.?

4. How many aircraft released from service have been reconditioned, (a) by the R.C.A.F.; (b) by the R.A.F., and how have these been disposed of?

5. How many of the above aircraft have been reconditioned for the R.C.A.F. or the R.A.F. in privately owned factories, and how have these been disposed of?

6. Have any aircraft been sold to date to private individuals, (a) by the R.C.A.F. or (b) by the R.A.F.? If so, to whom, how many and what type?

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Secretary of State of Canada for the year ended March 31, 1944.

Also,—Copy of Report of positions excluded under the provisions of Section 59 from the operation of the Civil Service Act, Chapter 22, R.S.C. 1927, for the calendar year 1944.

Also,—Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944—(English and French).

Also,—Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944—(English and French).

And also,—Report of the Public Archives for the year 1944. (English and French Editions).

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of June 29, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. What is the total value of stationery and printing ordered for delivery to R.C.A.F. Equipment Depots, in each of the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, in the twelve month period extending from May 1, 1943, to May 1, 1944?

2. To what firms were such orders given and what was the total value of orders to each of such firms during the said period?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of July 6, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. Have the participation certificates been paid for the Wheat Crop years 1940-41, and 1941-42 and 1942-43?

2. If not, would the government give the reason for the delay?

3. For the purpose of income tax, is money received by farmers by reason of participation certificates, considered to be part of the income for the year in which the payment is made?

4. If so, has the government considered it advisable to make suitable adjustments to have these payments considered to be income for the crop years to which they apply, and, when does the government expect to announce their decision in respect to this?

Also,—Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of July 10, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence and other documents passing between the dominion government, and/or any agency thereof, and the W. R. Carpenter (Canada) Limited, and/or any other company or individual, with respect to the construction by W. R. Carpenter (Canada) Limited of a flax processing plant at Hamilton, Ontario.

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of July 24, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. How many conferences have been held since 1939 between the dominion and provincial governments, or between departments of the same?

2. What were the dates of each of said conferences, and the subjects of discussion and negotiation?

3. What agreements have been entered into as a result of these conferences, and what legislation has been introduced in parliament or executive action has followed therefrom?

4. Have all such conferences and agreements entered into as a result been reported and the proceedings thereof published?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of July 31, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. Has the firm of McCarthy and McCarthy, Barristers of Toronto, or any member thereof, been employed by the dominion government from 1936 to the present time?

2. If so, in what matters?

3. What fees have been paid in each case?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of August 7, 1944, for a Return showing:—What have been the total payments made for the account of the three Departments of National Defence and the Department of Munitions and Supply and the Department of Labour (National Selective Service) to the Sherbrooke Taxi Service and Mr. J. E. Fraser of Nova Scotia by the federal government for taxi, repair and other services and supplies each year since September, 1939?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. Mr. R. B. Hunter, formerly manager of Swift Canadian Company, Limited, at Winnipeg, in the employ of the government, or any branch or department thereof? If so, in what capacity, and what remuneration is he receiving?

2. How many men were moved to Winnipeg during the period from October 15, 1944, to November 30, 1944, to work in the packing plants in the Winnipeg area? How many men were laid off from Winnipeg packing plants during the same period?

3. How many men moved to Winnipeg as set out above had their transportation paid by the federal government?

Mr. St. Laurent, a Member of the King's Privy Council, by command of His Excellency the Governor General, laid before the House.—Report of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for the year ended March 31, 1944—(English and French).

Also,—Annual Report of the Superintendent of Penitentiaries for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944.

And also,—Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to paragraph 3 of Regulation 21 of the Defence of Canada Regulations (Detention of Persons).

Mr. MacKinnon (Edmonton West), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General.—Fifty-second Annual Report of the Department of Trade and Commerce, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1944—(English and French).

Also.—Twenty-seventh Annual Report of the National Research Council of Canada for the fiscal year 1943-44. (English and French).

And also,—Annual Report of the Department of National Revenue, containing statements relative to Customs-Excise Revenue and other Services by Ports and Outports; Excise and Income of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944.

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of August 12, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. Are dominion civil servants who proceeded overseas for service in civilian capacities, exempted from income tax on salaries and/or allowances?

2. Were any such dominion civil servants exempted from payment of income tax on salaries and/or allowances for the years 1940, 1941 and 1942?

3. Were any such dominion civil servants exempted from payment of income tax on salaries and/or allowances for period commencing January 1, 1943?

4. Are all the men who have proceeded overseas for service with the auxiliary service organizations—Canadian Legion War Services, Y.M.C.A., Salvation Army and Knights of Columbus, given exemption from payment of income tax on salaries and/or allowances, in a similar manner to the army, navy and air forces?

5. If not, what concessions have been granted in this regard?

Mr. Howe, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of August 14, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. When was the audit of Addison Industries Limited, covering the first 776 sets of Walkie Talkie, made (as referred to in return brought down on August 5, 1944)?

2. What are the particulars of the administrative expenses amounting to \$34,144, as referred to in the said return?

3. What were the amounts of expenses allowed in the said sum for (a) office salaries, including persons to whom paid and amount paid to each, (b) supplies, (c) legal fees, and to whom paid, (d) audit fees, and to whom paid, (e) travelling expenses, giving particulars?

4. What is the amount of the monthly management fee paid, credited or allowed to the said company, from the beginning of the contract to the 30th of June, 1944?

5. Is the said management fee included in or exclusive of the profits allowed to the said company?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of August 14, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. What is the value of parts going into the production and/or assembly by Addison Industries Limited per unit of each type of Walkie Talkie device?

2. How many employees has the said company?

3. What is the average rate of pay for each employee per day?

4. Are any royalties paid in respect to the said device?

5. Has the said company received any fee for engineering? If so, how much and when?

6. What facilities for development engineering did the said company have when given the first contract?

7. What is the value of all equipment and parts that have been sub-contracted to, or sold by, A. Cross and Company Limited, Toronto, to Addison Industries Limited, for use in the assembly or production of Walkie Talkie, in each of the years 1942, 1943 and 1944?

8. What are the names and addresses of the directors of the said A. Cross and Company Limited, Toronto?

Mr. Michaud, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Fortieth Report of the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada (formerly the Board of Railway Commissioners) for the year ended 31st December, 1944.

Also,—Summary Statement of Harbour Dues for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944.

Also,—Summary Statement of Wharfage Revenue for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944.

Also,—Statement showing lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company during the year ended September 30, 1944, together with the names of the purchasers, in accordance with 49 Victoria, Chapter 9, Section 8.

And also,—Return of lease of wharves, piers and breakwaters for the calendar year 1944, as required by section 18, chapter 89 "Government Harbours and Piers Act".

Mr. Fournier (Hull), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Minister of Public Works on the works under his control for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944—(English and French).

Mr. Mulock, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Postmaster General for the year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French Editions.)

Mr. LaFlèche, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Annual Report of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French Editions.)

He also laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1880, approved March 19, 1945, appointing Albert Wentworth Trueman, Esquire, of Saint John, N.B., a Governor of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation for a period to expire on November 1, 1947.

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the work of the Department of Pensions and National Health, the Canadian Pension Commission, War Veterans Allowance Board and Civil Defence (Air Raid Precautions) for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French Editions.)

Also,—Regulations made under the Department of Veterans Affairs Act.

Also,—Regulations made under the Soldier Settlement Act.

Also,—Regulations made under the Veterans' Land Act, 1942.

Mr. Macdonald (Kingston City), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Naval General Orders promulgated and issued to the Canadian Naval Forces, from 25th November, 1944, to 24th February, 1945, under the provisions of Section 44, Chapter 139, R.S.C. 1927.

Mr. Martin, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labour, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1944, which includes reports of proceedings under the following statutes:—Labour Department Act, Conciliation and Labour Act, Industrial Disputes Investigation Act, Vocational Training Co-ordination Act, Technical Education Act, Government Annuities Act, Combines Investigation Act, Unemployment Offices Co-ordination Act, The Unemployment Insurance Commission, Reinstatement in Civil Employment Act, British Columbia Security Commission, International Labour Organizations, National War Labour Board, Fair Wages and Hours of Labour Act, etc.

Mr. Abbott, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of National Defence, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Department of National Defence, Canada, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French Editions).

And also,—Copy of General Orders promulgated to the Canadian Army from 15th March, 1944, to 6th February, 1945 (English Edition), and 8th March, 1944, to 6th February, 1945 (French Edition), under the provisions of Section 141, Chapter 132, R.S.C. 1927.

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of July 10, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. What is the total number of personnel in each rank senior to that of corporal, now in the reserve army, who are of military age?

2. Of the numbers indicated in the answer to question 1, how many joined the reserve army (a) prior to September 1, 1939; (b) between September 1, 1939 and September 1, 1940; (c) since September 1, 1940?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of August 3, 1944, for a Return showing:—By provinces, what is the total number of casualties, killed, wounded and missing, for each of the three services, army, navy, air force, since the beginning of the war to date?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of August 3, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. What is being done to transport to Canada the wives and children of soldiers who have married in Britain or other places, while on active service overseas?

2. How many such cases are there and what are the provisions made in such cases?

3. Is free transportation given them and travelling expenses to their homes?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. What arrangements have been made across Canada for men of the forces and services to travel home for Christmas and New Year's leave?

2. As an aid to recruiting, could not time be allowed in addition to the usual five-day leave, as our country is a land of great distances for travelling to and fro, as the men have no choice in their location?

3. What action is the government taking with respect to an allowance for time spent in travelling to and fro for a few days over the five-day rule?

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King, the House then adjourned at 5.45 o'clock p.m., until to-morrow at 3 o'clock p.m.

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OF CANADA

OTTAWA, TUESDAY, 20TH MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

One petition was laid on the Table.

Mr. Bertrand (Laurier), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Fourteenth Annual Report of the Department of Fisheries (Seventy-seventh Annual Fisheries Report of the Dominion), for the fiscal year 1943-44—(English and French).

Also,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 8745, approved November 20, 1944: issuing licences to United States fishing vessels on the Atlantic Coast to purchase bait, ice, seines, lines and all other supplies and outfits.

And also,—Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1106, approved February 23, 1944, authorizing distribution of Fishing Bounty Payments for the fiscal year 1943-44, under the provisions of R.S.C. 1927, chapter 74, intituled: "An Act to encourage the Development of the Sea Fisheries and the Building of Fishing Vessels."

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944, for a Return showing:—During each of the fiscal years 1930-1931 to 1943-1944 inclusive,

1. What amount was collected from soldier settlers under the Soldier Settlement Board?
2. What was the annual cost of administration?
3. How many signed quit claim deeds or were served with thirty day notices to vacate?

Mr. Gardiner, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion of Canada, for the year ended March 31, 1944—(English and French).

Also,—Report on Activities under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for the Crop Year 1943-44.

Also,—Report on Activities conducted under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944.

Also,—Report of the Agreements made under the Agricultural Products Co-operative Marketing Act, 1939, as amended, during the year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French.)

Also,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1324, approved March 4, 1944; passed under the provisions of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act, Chapter 47, R.S.C., 1927, respecting seed potatoes.

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944, for a Return showing:—1. Has Mr. J. T. Letourneau of Lisieux, Saskatchewan, been employed by any department of the federal government during the past year?

2. If so, what salary, expenses or other money does he receive?

Mr. Martin, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labour, laid before the House,—Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, the Vocational Training Co-ordination Act, 1942, the Re-instatement in Civil Employment Act, 1942, the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 9597, approved January 3, 1945: dealing with wage rates during vocational training of persons discharged from the armed forces.

Order in Council P.C. 77, approved January 11, 1945: being regulations under the Reinstatement in Civil Employment Act, 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 496, approved January 25, 1945: providing for the retention in munitions work of trained key workers who are in designated age classes under the Mobilization Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 692, approved February 1, 1945: providing for travelling expenses for agricultural workers assigned to other high priority industries during the winter months.

Order in Council P.C. 9471, approved February 1, 1945: providing for pre-matriculation training for personnel discharged from the armed forces.

Order in Council P.C. 944, approved February 13, 1945: providing for medical examination of personnel discharged from the naval or air force and considered fit for the army.

Order in Council P.C. 1415, approved March 6, 1945: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 1388, approved March 8, 1945: providing for agreements with the provinces and financial assistance for vocational training of persons directed by the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

Order in Council P.C. 1648, approved March 8, 1945: providing for agreements with the provinces and financial assistance for the development and carrying on after the present war of vocational training equivalent to the secondary school level.

Mr. Isley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of letter dated March 3, 1945, from the Hon. J. L. Isley, Minister of Finance, to the Honourable E. C. Manning, Premier of Alberta, with respect to refunding of provincial indebtedness by the Province of Alberta.

Mr. Mackenzie King, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of telegram sent to the Prime Minister of Canada by the Secretary of Foreign Affairs of Mexico expressing its admiration and gratitude to Canada for its great war effort in defence of the American Continent, and the Prime Minister's telegram in reply thereto.

Mr. Mackenzie King, seconded by Mr. St. Laurent, moved,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of a resolution to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations at San Francisco to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security.

And a Debate arising thereon; the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Stirling, adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.35 o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

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OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, WEDNESDAY, 21st MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

The Clerk of the House laid upon the Table the First Report of the Clerk of Petitions stating that he had examined the petition presented on the 20th instant by Mr. Raymond, viz:

Of Emile Bernier of Montreal, Quebec, and allegedly 100,000 to 150,000 others, objecting to any change being made in the Immigration Act, and finds that the request contained in the body of such petition is addressed to the Canadian Government and not to the House of Commons.

For the above reason, the said petition should not be received.

The following Question on the Order Paper was passed by the House as an Order for Return, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and an Order of the House was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Pouliot:—Since the beginning of the war, how much was paid each year by the Dominion government and any Dominion board, commission and corporation and any other Dominion agency to:—1. The law firm of Borden, Elliott, Sankey and Kelley, barristers and solicitors, of the City of Toronto?

2. The following partners of the above mentioned firm: (a) H. Borden, K.C.; (b) B. V. Elliot, K.C.; (c) R. H. Sankey, K.C.; (d) W. A. G. Kelley; (e) J. T. Johnson; (f) I. G. Wahn; (g) A. D. McAlpine, and (h) Hon. C. P. McTague, K.C.?

The following Address was voted to His Excellency the Governor General, and Order of the House issued to the proper officer:—

By Mr. Lalonde:—Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other documents exchanged between the Dominion Government and the Government of the Province of Quebec, since September 1, 1939, pertaining to the putting into force of conscription for overseas military service.

By Mr. Bruce:—Order of the House for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other communications exchanged between Major-General G. H. Pearkes, V.C., D.S.O., M.C.; and General McNaughton, or any officer in the Department of National Defence, relating to—1. His retirement from the Pacific Command.

2. Instructions issued by the Department to General Pearkes and/or his officers in the Pacific Command on methods to be employed in inducing the personnel of the Home Defence Army to go Overseas.

3. Reports made by General Pearkes to the Department of National Defence giving the nature and result of the efforts of himself and staff in carrying out the instructions stated above?

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Mackenzie King.—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of a resolution to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations at San Francisco to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security.

And the Debate still continuing; the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Roebuck, adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.45 o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 4

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, THURSDAY, 22ND MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House,—Reports from the Civil Service Commission *re* classifying certain positions on the staff of the House of Commons, and approving the appointment of a Secretary to Executive in the Library of Parliament, as follows:—

JANUARY 8, 1945.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF CANADA

In accordance with Section 61 of the Civil Service Act, the Civil Service Commission, at the request of the Clerk of the House of Commons, respectfully begs to submit for favourable consideration and approval, the following changes in compensation:—

Under Section 12 of the Civil Service Act, the Civil Service Commission recommends that the following changes in compensation be approved, effective from October 1, 1944:

Sergeant of Protective Service

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,740, \$1,800, \$1,860, \$1,920

Allowance: Uniform

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,100

Allowance: Uniform

Assistant Chief of Protective Service

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040

Allowance: Uniform

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,100

Allowance: Uniform

Chief of Protective Service

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,100

Allowance: Uniform

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$2,100, \$2,220, \$2,340, \$2,400

Allowance: Uniform

Chief of Parliamentary Distribution Office

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,160, \$2,280, \$2,400

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$2,700, \$2,820, \$2,940, \$3,060, \$3,180, \$3,300

Chief of Pages

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,320, \$1,380, \$1,440, \$1,500, \$1,560

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$1,440, \$1,500, \$1,560, \$1,620, \$1,680

Supervisor of Char Service, Parliament Buildings

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,740, \$1,800, \$1,860, \$1,920

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,100

Chief of Equipment, Purchaser and Storekeeper

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,740, \$1,800, \$1,860, \$1,920, \$1,980

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,100

Chief Parliamentary Messenger

It is recommended that the compensation for this class, which is at present—

Annual: \$1,740, \$1,860, \$1,980

be revised to read as follows:

Annual: \$1,800, \$1,920, \$2,040, \$2,100

NOTE.—Any incumbent at present in receipt of a salary of \$1,740-\$2,220 (120) to continue at this rate.

It is also recommended that the following new class be established:—

Constable, Protective Service, House of Parliament

COMPENSATION

Annual: \$1,500, \$1,560, \$1,620, \$1,680, \$1,740, \$1,800

To apply to all future appointments.

\$1,740, \$1,800, \$1,860, \$1,920

To apply to all present incumbents.

Allowance: Uniform

The duties and responsibilities of the above classes of positions are found to warrant the compensation recommended.

(signed) C. H. BLAND,
Chairman,

(signed) J. H. STITT,
Commissioner,

(signed) A. THIVIERGE,
Commissioner.

DECEMBER 15, 1944.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF CANADA

TO THE HONOURABLE THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS AND
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE:—

In accordance with the provisions of Section 61 and 9 of the Civil Service Act, the Civil Service Commission, at the request of the Library of Parliament, respectfully begs to submit for favourable consideration and approval by the Resolution of the Houses of Parliament, the following report:—

It is recommended that the organization of the Library of Parliament be changed by the creation of a permanent position of Secretary of Executive (\$1,740-\$2,100) (120), effective from the date the position is established.

Miss Winefride Raye, who it is proposed to appoint to this position, has had over twenty-three years' service in the Dominion government. She has been attached to the Library of Parliament as Secretary-Stenographer since August, 1927. In view of Miss Raye's experience and qualifications for the position it is considered to be in the public interest to provide for her permanent appointment.

Section 59 of the Civil Service Act prescribes:—

In any case where the Commission decides that it is not practicable nor in the public interest to apply this Act to any position or positions, the Commission may, with the approval of the Governor in Council, exclude such position or positions in whole or in part from the operation of the Act, and make such regulations as are deemed advisable prescribing how such position or positions are to be dealt with.

It is, therefore, recommended, under Section 59 of the Civil Service Act, that the above permanent position of Secretary to Executive be exempt from Section 20 of the Act in order that Miss Winefride Raye may be permanently appointed without competition, effective from the date the position is established, but that in all other respects the position be subject to the provisions of the Civil Service Act. It is further recommended that this exemption apply only in the case of the appointment of Miss Raye.

In view of Miss Raye's length of service it is not considered to be in the public interest to prescribe any competitive examination for this position.

(signed) C. H. BLAND,
Chairman,

(signed) J. H. STITT,
Commissioner,

(signed) A. THIVIERGE,
Commissioner.

Mr. Macdonald (Kingston City), a Member of the King's Privy Council laid before the House,—Copy of Naval General Orders promulgated and issued to the Canadian Naval Forces dated March 3, 1945, under the provisions of Section 44, Chapter 139, R.S.C., 1927.

Mr. Martin, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labour, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Fourth Annual Report of the Unemployment Insurance Advisory Committee on the Financial Condition of the Unemployment Insurance Fund as at December 31, 1944.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Pouliot:—1. Was Colonel Allan Angus Magee, K.C., employed by the Dominion government since the beginning of this war?

2. If so, in what department, under what Cabinet Minister, in what particular capacity and for how long?

3. How much was paid to him each year for salary, and for living and travelling expenses?

4. Was he and is he still the President of Barclay's Bank (Canada), Ltd., and of Barclay Trust Co. of Canada?

5. Was there any other president of a Canadian chartered bank who was "a dollar a year man"?

6. If so, who?

7. Was Mr. Henry Borden, K.C., employed by the Dominion Government since the beginning of this war?

8. If so, in what department, in what particular capacity and for how long each time?

9. What were the duties and responsibilities of each one of the positions referred to in No. 8?

10. Was he a director of Barclay's Bank (Canada) Ltd., and, if so, since when?

By Mr. Pouliot:—1. Was Mr. Charles J. Burchell, K.C., a partner of the law firms of Maclean, Burchell and Ralston from 1912 to 1922 and of that of Burchell and Ralston from 1922 to 1926?

2. Was he appointed Canadian High Commissioner to Australia, Newfoundland and South Africa, and, if so, when?

3. What was the date of his birth?

4. Was Mr. James Gordon Fogo, K.C., a partner of the law firms of Ralston & Hanway, Amherst, N.S., in 1924, and of that of Burchell & Ralston, Halifax in 1925 and 1926?

5. Is he still now a partner of the law firm of Burchell & Co.?

6. Was he appointed associate co-ordinator of controls in the Department of Munitions and Supply, and if so, when?

7. Was Mr. Joseph Gerald Godsoe associated in the practice of law with the firm of Burchell & Co., in Halifax from 1928 to 1930?

8. Was he appointed Co-ordinator of controls and chairman of the Wartime Industries Control Board in the Department of Munitions and Supply?

9. If so, when and whom did he succeed?

10. Was Mr. John Doherty Kearney, K.C., a partner of the law firm of Ralston, Kearney & Duquet, of Montreal, and if so, until when?

11. Was he appointed Canadian High Commissioner in Eire, and, if so, when?

12. Was Mr. Stuart Bowman Ralston in the law firm of Ralston, Kearney and Duquet, Montreal, and later on in the law firm of Kearney, Duquet & Mackay, Montreal?

13. What is his age and when was he admitted to the practice of law?

14. Was he appointed to do some work at the Patent and Copyright Office?

15. If so, from what date to what date, what work did he do and how much was paid to him or to his law firm for his work and for living and travelling expenses?

16. Did he make a report?

17. If so, to whom and when?

18. Did he make any recommendations?

19. If so, what were they, and were they adopted and enforced by the government?

By Mr. Pouliot:—Since the beginning of the war, how much was paid each year by the Dominion government and any Dominion board, commission and corporation and any other Dominion agency to—1. The law firm of Burchell, Smith, Parker & Fogo, barristers and solicitors, of the City of Halifax?

2. The following partners of the above mentioned firm: (a) C. J. Burchell, K.C.; (b) F. D. Smith, K.C.; (c) E. T. Parker, K.C.; (d) J. Gordon Fogo, K.C.; (e) W. H. Jost; (f) C. W. Burchell; (g) A. J. Meagher?

By Mr. Pouliot:—Since the beginning of the war, how much was paid each year by the Dominion government and any Dominion board, commission and corporation and any other Dominion agency to—1. The law firm of Kearney and Duquet, barristers and solicitors, of the City of Montreal, and Kearney, Duquet and MacKay, barristers and solicitors, of the City of Montreal?

2. The following partners of the above mentioned firms: (a) J. D. Kearney, K.C.; (b) J. E. L. Duquet; (c) R. de W. MacKay; (d) W. Mitchell; (e) S. B. Ralston; (f) D. L. Gales?

By Mr. Pouliot:—What are the persons, companies and estates from whom the government has bought real estate in the City of Ottawa since the beginning of the war, and how much was paid to each one of them?

By Mrs. Nielsen:—1. What is the text of the Haldimand Treaty under the terms of which the people of the Six Nations Indians were settled on territory on each side of the Grand River in Ontario?

2. What are the terms of the lease by which part of the territory, granted to the people of the Six Nations Indians under the Haldimand Treaty, was rented by Captain Joseph Brant and what were the rentals?

3. What is the total amount of money—the property of the people of the Six Nations Indians—now in possession of the Department of Indian Affairs and how is it used and administered?

By Mr. Winkler:—1. How much did the Government remit from the excise tax per 100 pounds of refined sugar to the beet sugar growers in September, 1943?

2. Was any remission made by the Government to the cane sugar industry at the same time, namely September, 1943 or at any other time since?

3. To what did the duty plus 10% war tax on imported raw cane sugar per 100 pound bag of refined sugar amount in 1940, 1941 and 1942?

4. Did P.C. 6582 dated July 27th, 1942, abolish the import duty on raw cane sugar and the 10% war tax?

5. How much money has been paid into the Sugar Stabilization Fund established by the W.P.T.B. June 6th, 1940?

(a) How much was paid by the sugar beet industry by years since its establishment in 1940?

(b) How much was paid by the cane sugar industry by years since its establishment in 1940?

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Mackenzie King,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of a resolution to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations at San Francisco to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security.

And the Debate still continuing; the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Blackmore, adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.40 o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 5

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, FRIDAY, 23RD MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Michaud, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Transport for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

Mr. Mitchell, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Regulations made and approved under the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940, for the period from April 4, 1944, to March 21, 1945, being Orders in Council P.C. 8061 and P.C. 8062, approved November 24, 1944.

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act—Chapter 206, R.S.C. 1927, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 1803, approved March 16, 1945: amending the Canadian War Service Voting Regulations, 1944.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King it was resolved,—That when the House adjourns on Thursday, March 29, it stand adjourned until Tuesday, April 3, 1945.

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Mackenzie King,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of a resolution to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations at San Francisco to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security.

And the Debate still continuing; the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Weir, adjourned.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), the House then adjourned at 10.45 o'clock p.m., until Monday next at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 6

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OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, MONDAY, 26TH MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Abbott, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of National Defence, by command of His Excellency the Governor General, laid before the House,—Report of the National Health Survey conducted by the Canadian Medical Procurement and Assignment Board.

Mr. Howe, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Air Transport Board Regulations respecting commercial air services—Order in Council P.C. 1175, approved February 27, 1945, as required under the Aeronautics Act, or amendments thereto.

And also,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 8986, approved November 28, 1944: revoking Part VII of The Air Regulations, 1938, dealing with Scheduled Air Transport Services and substituting therefor new regulations as Part VII, as required under the Aeronautics Act, or amendments thereto.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Nicholson:—1. What is the total value of contracts awarded to the Pigott Construction Company during the war?

2. What is the value of contracts awarded (if any) while Mr. Pigott was president of Wartime Housing Ltd.?

By Mr. Bruce:—1. Has the Minister of National Defence any information to cause him to believe that General Pearkes and his officers in the Pacific Command did not carry out the Minister's instructions to put forth their best efforts to induce draftees to go active?

2. If so, what is such information and the grounds for such belief?

3. Is there any information on the files of the Department of National Defence which establishes that General Pearkes did not, with fidelity, discharge his duties in securing the enlistment for general service of Home Defence personnel under his command?

4. If so, what particulars are therein given?

5. Was any information to such effect supplied by the Minister of National Defence to the Minister of Agriculture?

6. If so, what was the information?

By Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West):—1. How much capital investment by the government does the building, machinery and equipment of Genelco Ltd., represent?

2. Is Genelco Ltd. working on government contracts?

3. If so, what length of time will it take to complete these contracts?

4. Will the present working staff be required until the completion of these contracts?

5. Has Genelco Ltd. laid off any staff this year?

6. If so, how many have been laid off?

7. Has any machinery or equipment been removed from Genelco Ltd.?
If so, what machinery or equipment?

8. Will the government dispose of the building, equipment and machinery of Genelco Ltd.?

9. If so, what purchase price is the government asking?

By Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West):—1. Has the War Assets Corporation sold any heavy trucks?

2. If so, to whom were they sold?

3. How many trucks were sold?

4. Have any four wheel drive trucks been sold?

5. If so, to whom and how many were sold?

By Mr. Fair:—During each of the fiscal years 1930-31 to 1943-44 inclusive, what amount of (a) principal; (b) interest, was collected from Soldier Settlers under the Soldier Settlement Board (Civilian Settlers excluded)?

By Mr. Church:—1. What steps are or will be taken by the government to remedy the housing situation in the City of Toronto?

2. What has been done since the last session of parliament, August last?

3. How many houses have been built there under the National Housing Act program, 1944, and how many applications were received and dealt with so far?

By Mr. Black (Cumberland):—What legal services have been performed for the government by J. H. Power, K.C., New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, in each year since January 1, 1940, to date; what payments have been made and what accounts have been rendered and remain unpaid for services and expenses for the Department of Justice, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, the Departments of National Defence and the Department of Munitions and Supply?

By Mr. Bruce:—1. What action, if any, has the government taken with respect to the riots at Drummondville, Quebec, some weeks ago, when members of the provost corps and the R.C.M.P. were assaulted?

2. If such action has been taken, does the Minister of Justice think it will be adequate to prevent a recurrence of such unlawful acts?

3. What action has been taken in regard to the alleged "beating up" of 3 provost corps men at Gatineau Mills, Quebec, by a gang of 40 or 50 men?

4. What action has been taken against the constable at Gatineau Mills, who is alleged to have sat idly by and watched the law being broken?

The following Addresses were voted to His Excellency the Governor General, and Orders of the House issued to the proper officers:—

By Mr. Dorion:—Order of the House for a copy of all correspondence and other documents addressed to the government during the year, 1944, regarding the appointment of Mr. Boulianne as postmaster at St. Paul du Nord, Saguenay County.

By Mr. Dorion:—Order of the House for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents addressed to the government during the year 1944, regarding the Post Office at Riviere Colombier, County of Saguenay.

By Mr. Pouliot:—Order of the House for a copy of all correspondence concerning the appointment of Mr. Stuart Bowman Ralston to do some work at the Patent and Copyright Office and of his reports to the head of the department concerned.

By Mr. Fair:—Order of the House for a copy of all letters, telegrams, petitions, briefs or other communications received by the Prime Minister, the Minister of Veterans Affairs, the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Director of Soldier Settlement and the Veterans Land Act or any other Department of Government in connection with the request of the Soldier Settlers Association of Canada that Veterans of Great War I, holding contracts with the Soldier Settlement Board at March 31, 1944, be granted clear titles without making further payments after that date.

By Mr. Wright:—Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other communications, from 1938 to date, exchanged between the Dominion government and the government of the province of Saskatchewan relating to the 1938 Seed Grain loans.

By Mr. Perley:—Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all correspondence exchanged, from and after September, 1937, to the present date, between the Federal Government or any minister or department thereof and the Provincial Government of Saskatchewan or any minister or department thereof with respect to seed grain furnished to the farmers of Saskatchewan in the spring of 1938.

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Mackenzie King.—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of a resolution to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations at San Francisco to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security.

And the Debate still continuing; the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Tustin, adjourned.

At eleven o'clock, p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 7

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, TUESDAY, 27TH MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a copy of all correspondence concerning the appointment of Mr. Stuart Bowman Ralston to do some work at the Patent and Copyright Office and of his reports to the head of the department concerned.

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the motion of Mr. Mackenzie King,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve the following Resolution:—

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has been invited by the Government of the United States of America, on behalf of itself and of the Governments of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Republic of China, to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations to be held on April 25th, 1945, at San Francisco in the United States of America to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security, and

WHEREAS the invitation suggests that the conference consider as affording a basis for such a charter the proposals for the establishment of a general international organization which have been made public by the four Governments which participated in the discussions at Dumbarton Oaks, Washington, and

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has accepted the invitation to send representatives to this conference,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED—

- (1) That this House endorses the acceptance by the Government of Canada of the invitation to send representatives to the conference;

- (2) that this House recognizes that the establishment of an effective international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security is of vital importance to Canada, and, indeed, to the future well-being of mankind; and that it is in the interests of Canada that Canada should become a member of such an organization;
- (3) that this House approves the purposes and principles set forth in the proposals of the four Governments, and considers that these proposals constitute a satisfactory general basis for a discussion of the charter of the proposed international organization;
- (4) that this House agrees that the representatives of Canada at the conference should use their best endeavours to further the preparation of an acceptable charter for an international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security;
- (5) that the charter establishing the international organization should, before ratification, be submitted to Parliament for approval.

And the Debate continuing;

Mr. Hansell, seconded by Mr. Johnston (Bow River), moved in amendment:—That the Resolution be amended by striking out clauses three (3) and four (4) respectively, renumbering clause five (5) as clause four (4) and substituting for clause three (3) the following:

- (a) That this House is of the opinion that an acceptable charter for an international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security should be constructed on a pattern in which the full national sovereignty of each co-operating nation is insured, and in which free peoples are freely associated for the mutual benefit of all striving for the attainment of a common ideal of peace, freedom and security.
- (b) And this House therefore disapproves of the monetary stabilization technique emanating from the Bretton Woods Conference designed to fetter all peoples to the gold standard and which would result in rendering the Canadian economy subservient to external control.

Mr. Speaker ruled the amendment out of order on the grounds that it introduced in the main motion new and abstract proposals which could only be considered on a distinct motion after notice.

And the Debate continuing on the main motion; the said Debate was, on motion of Mr. Mackenzie King, adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.50 o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 8

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, WEDNESDAY, 28TH MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Mackenzie King, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America constituting an Agreement concerning the post-war disposition of United States Defence Projects in Canada. Effected at Washington November 22 and December 20, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944, No. 35.) (English and French editions.)

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 22, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. How much did the government remit from the excise tax per 100 pounds of refined sugar to the beet sugar growers in September, 1943?

2. Was any remission made by the government to the cane sugar industry at the same time, namely September, 1943, or at any other time since?

3. To what did the duty plus 10 per cent war tax on imported raw cane sugar per 100 pound bag of refined sugar amount in 1940, 1941 and 1942?

4. Did P.C. 6582 dated July 27, 1942, abolish the import duty on raw cane sugar and the 10 per cent war tax?

5. How much money has been paid into the Sugar Stabilization Fund established by the W.P.T.B. June 6, 1940?

(a) How much was paid by the sugar beet industry by years since its establishment in 1940?

(b) How much was paid by the cane sugar industry by years since its establishment in 1940?

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, by command of His Excellency the Governor General, laid before the House,—Report of the War-time Prices and Trade Board for the Calendar Year 1944.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Return, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Ross (Souris):—1. Has General Andrew McNaughton at any time been granted any pension from the Federal Treasury of Canada?

2. If so, what amount annually and when was it paid.

3. At what date and on what basis was said pension granted?

By Mr. Black (Cumberland):—1. At what places in Canada are the major Ordnance Stores kept for each of the three Defence Services?

2. What has been the cost of the (a) storage buildings; (b) facilities, at each such place?

3. At what places have premises been under lease; stating the owners, the cost of renovations, cost of improvements and equipment, the yearly rental paid, additional charges or costs?

4. What was the maximum value of stores at each such place in 1944?

5. What has been the total cost of all supplies placed in such ordnance storage?

6. What is the cost at each place of supplies reported, (a) surplus; (b) obsolete; (c) total for all places?

By Mr. Black (Cumberland):—1. What has been the total expenditure on each of the airfields in the Maritime Provinces to date?

2. How many of such airfields have been completed stating estimate cost to complete the others?

3. How many private or municipal airfields in the Maritime Provinces have received government assistance stating amount of such expenditures for each airfield?

The following Order of the House was issued to the proper officer:—

By Mr. Nicholson:—Order of the House for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other documents in the possession of the Post Office Department in connection with complaints regarding the Post Office administration at Amsterdam, Saskatchewan, since June, 1940.

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the motion of Mr. Mackenzie King,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve the following Resolution:—

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has been invited by the Government of the United States of America, on behalf of itself and of the Governments of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Republic of China, to send representatives to a conference of the United Nations to be held on April 25th, 1945, at San Francisco in the United States of America to prepare a charter for a general international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security, and

WHEREAS the invitation suggests that the conference consider as affording a basis for such a charter the proposals for the establishment of a general international organization which have been made public by the four Governments which participated in the discussions at Dumbarton Oaks, Washington, and

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has accepted the invitation to send representatives to this conference,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED—

- (1) That this House endorses the acceptance by the Government of Canada of the invitation to send representatives to the conference;
- (2) that this House recognizes that the establishment of an effective international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security is of vital importance to Canada, and, indeed, to the future well-being of mankind; and that it is in the interests of Canada that Canada should become a member of such an organization;
- (3) that this House approves the purposes and principles set forth in the proposals of the four Governments, and considers that these proposals constitute a satisfactory general basis for a discussion of the Charter of the proposed international organization;
- (4) that this House agrees that the representatives of Canada at the conference should use their best endeavours to further the preparation of an acceptable charter for an international organization for the maintenance of international peace and security;
- (5) that the charter establishing the international organization should, before ratification, be submitted to Parliament for approval.

After further Debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion; it was agreed to on the following division:—

YEAS

Messrs.

Abbott,	Clark,	Fulford,	Jutras,
Authier,	Claxton,	Furniss,	King, Mackenzie
Aylesworth,	Cleaver,	Gershaw,	Kinley,
Bence,	Cloutier,	Gibson,	Kirk,
Bertrand (Laurier),	Coldwell,	Gillis,	Knowles,
Bertrand (Prescott),	Corman,	Gladstone,	Kuhl,
Black (Chateauguay- Huntingdon),	Coté,	Golding,	Laflamme,
Black (Cumberland),	Crerar,	Goulet,	LaFlèche,
Black (Yukon),	Crête,	Graham,	Lafontaine,
Blackmore,	Cruikshank,	Grant,	Lalonde,
Blair,	Dechene,	Gray,	Lapointe (Lotbinière),
Blanchette,	Denis,	Graydon,	Lapointe (Matapedia- Matane),
Bonnier,	Desmond,	Green,	Leader,
Boucher,	Diefenbaker,	Gregory,	Leclerc,
Bourget,	Donnelly,	Hansell,	Leduc,
Bradette,	Douglas,	Hanson (Skeena),	Leger,
Brooks,	Dubois,	Harris (Danforth),	Little,
Bruce,	Dupuis,	Harris (Grey-Bruce),	Lockhart,
Brunelle,	Edwards,	Hazen,	McCann,
Bryce,	Emmerson,	Healy,	McCuaig,
Burton,	Esling,	Henderson,	McCubbin,
Cardiff,	Eudes,	Hill,	MacDiarmid,
Cardin,	Evans,	Hlynka,	Macdonald,
Case,	Fair,	Homuth,	(Brantford City),
Casselman, Mrs.	Farquhar,	Howden,	Macdonald (Halifax),
(Edmonton East),	Fauteux,	Howe,	Macdonald
Casselman (Grenville- Dundas),	Ferland,	Hurtubise,	(Kingston City),
Castleden,	Ferron,	Ilsey,	McDonald (Pontiac),
Chevrier,	Fournier (Hull),	Isnor,	McGarry,
Choquette,	Fraser (Northum- berland, Ont.),	Jean,	McGeer,
Church,	Fraser (Peterborough West),	Johnston	McGibbon,
		(Bow River),	McGregor,
		Johnston (London),	

McIlraith,	Marshall,	Pouliot,	Sanderson,
MacInnis,	Martin,	Power,	Senn,
McIvor,	Matthews,	Purdy,	Shaw,
MacKenzie	Maybank,	Quelch,	Sissons,
(Lambton-Kent),	Mayhew,	Ralston,	Soper,
MacKenzie	Michaud,	Raymond,	Stirling,
(Neepawa),	Mills,	Reid,	Stokes,
Mackenzie (Van-	Mitchell,	Rennie,	Taylor,
couver Centre),	Moore,	Rh��aume,	Thauvette,
MacKinnon	Mullins,	Rickard,	Tomlinson,
(Edmonton West),	Mulock,	Roebuck,	Tremblay,
MacKinnon	Mutch,	Rose,	Tripp,
(Kootenay East),	Neill,	Ross (Calgary East),	Tucker,
McLarty,	Nicholson,	Ross (Hamilton	Turgeon,
MacLean (Cape	Nielsen, Mrs.	East),	Tustin,
Breton North-	Nixon,	Ross (Middlesex	Veniot,
Victoria),	O'Neill,	East),	Ward,
McLean	Parent,	Ross (Moose Jaw),	Warren,
(Simcoe East),	Perley,	Ross (St. Paul's),	Weir,
McNevin,	Picard,	Ross (Souris),	White,
MacNicol,	Pinard,	Ryan,	Whitman,
Marier,	Pottier,	St. Laurent,	Wood,
			Wright—202.

NAYS

Messrs.

d'Anjou,	Dorion,	Lacombe,	LaCroix,
			Roy—5.

The Order being read for the House to resolve itself into Committee of Supply;

Mr. Ilsley moved,—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the question being put on the said motion; it was agreed to.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolutions were adopted:

FURTHER SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

AGRICULTURE

ADMINISTRATION SERVICE

427 Advisory Committee on Agricultural Services — Further amount required..	\$ 1,000 00
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FINANCE

435 Bank Inspection (Inspector General of Banks' Office)—Further amount required..	3,750 00
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SUPERANNUATION AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS

436 Superannuation and Retirement Acts, Administration — Further amount required	3,000 00
437 Government's contribution to the Superannuation Fund—Further amount required..	40,795 00

FISHERIES

438 To provide for transportation, dressing and dyeing, and other expenses incidental to receiving and disposing of fur seal skins accruing to Canada pursuant to Provisional Fur Seal Agreement between Canada and United States by exchange of notes dated December 8 and 19, 1942—Further amount required	85,000 00
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LABOUR

439 Departmental Administration—Further amount required . . .	28,000 00
440 Annuities Act—Further amount required	32,200 00

LEGISLATION

HOUSE OF COMMONS

441 To provide an additional amount and under the same terms and conditions, to that provided under Vote 495 of the Appropriation Act No. 5, 1944, for transportation and living expenses of Members of the House of Commons during the Easter Recess 1944—Further amount required	500 00
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GENERAL

442 Printing of Parliament, including salaries of staff of the Joint Distribution Office—Further amount required	25,000 00
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MINES AND RESOURCES

LANDS, PARKS AND FORESTS BRANCH

Government of the Northwest Territories

443 General Administration, operation and maintenance of services, including Wood Buffalo Park—Further amount required	15,000 00
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SURVEYS AND ENGINEERING BRANCH

444 Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Victoria, B.C.—Further amount required	3,500 00
445 Hydrographic and Map Service— Hydrographic Service—To provide for the repair and renovation of Hydrographic Steamer "Wm. J. Stewart"—Further amount required	154,000 00

Resolutions to be reported.

Report to be received and Committee of Supply to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

At eleven o'clock, p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 9

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, THURSDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter which he had received:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

OTTAWA

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

29th March, 1945.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Patrick Kerwin, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-day, Thursday the 29th March, at 6.00 p.m. for the purpose of giving Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons,
Ottawa.

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House:—
Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Canadian Chartered Banks as on December 31, 1944, in accordance with chapter 30, section 118 (3), 8-9 George VI.

Also,—Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Quebec Savings Banks as on December 31, 1944, made in accordance with chapter 39, section 10, 24-25 George V.

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of March 22, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. How much did the government remit from the excise tax per 100 pounds of refined sugar to the beet sugar growers in September, 1943?

2. Was any remission made by the government to the cane sugar industry at the same time, namely September, 1943, or at any other time since?

3. To what did the duty plus 10 per cent war tax on imported raw cane sugar per 100 pound bag of refined sugar amount to in 1940, 1941 and 1942?

4. Did P.C. 6582 dated July 27, 1942, abolish the import duty on raw cane sugar and the 10 per cent war tax?

5. How much money has been paid into the Sugar Stabilization Fund established by the W.P.T.B. June 6, 1940?

(a) How much was paid by the sugar beet industry by years since its establishment in 1940?

(b) How much was paid by the cane sugar industry by years since its establishment in 1940?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of March 28, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. Has General Andrew McNaughton at any time been granted any pension from the Federal Treasury of Canada?

2. If so, what amount annually and when was it paid?

3. At what date and on what basis was said pension granted?

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Blackmore:—1. Did a delegation from The National Sugar Beet Producers Association of Canada tender a submission to S. R. Noble, J. L. Ilsley and J. G. Gardiner on or about February 7, 1945, in Montreal, in an effort to obtain assistance for beet producers of Canada?

2. If so, what kind and degree of assistance did they ask for?

3. Was their request granted?

4. If not, why not?

5. On or about February 12th, 1945, did a delegation of the same organization make a submission to Messrs. Ilsley and Gardiner in Ottawa?

6. If so, what kind and degree of assistance did they ask for?

7. Was their request granted?

8. If not, why not?

9. What price does the Dominion Government pay at present for cane sugar refined?

10. What price does the Dominion Government at present pay beet sugar refineries for beet sugar refined?

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order forthwith.

By Mr. Shaw:—1. Has any department of government received, since September, 1944, a report respecting certain alleged property damage done to furnishings and/or installations at the Penhold S.F.T.S. (R.A.F.)?

2. If so, was an investigation made?

3. What did such an investigation divulge?

4. If property damage were done, what was the total cost of repairs and replacements?

5. What action if any was taken against those responsible for such damage?

By Mr. Winkler:—1. How many civilians from Canada were given free transportation and accommodation to visit the forces in Britain and the battle areas in (a) 1944; (b) 1945 (until March)?

2. Who were they, and how long did the visit last, including passage in each case?

By Mr. Dechene:—1. Are some of the buildings erected by the American Army at Fort McMurray, Alberta, not otherwise disposed of, being surrendered to the Canadian government?

2. Has the government received a request from the War Veterans of the Fort McMurray area for the use of one of these buildings? If so, what action is being taken?

By Mr. Church:—1. How many soldiers are daily travelling on the trains throughout Canada and each Military District, checking leave passes of members of the forces, (a) Army; (b) Navy; (c) Air Force?

2. Do any of these come from the C.W.A.C., and how many of each class?

3. Are separate ones for each of the services necessary?

4. What is their pay and other allowances?

The House resolved itself again into Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolutions were adopted:—

FURTHER SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

446 Medical—Indian Hospitals and general care of Indians—

Further amount required \$ 240,000 00

NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE

HEALTH BRANCH

447 Combating Venereal Diseases. Administration — Further

amount required 90,250 00

NATIONAL REVENUE

INCOME TAX DIVISION

448 District Offices—Further amount required 775,000 00

NATIONAL WAR SERVICES

449 National Film Board, including the Motion Picture Bureau—

Further amount required 108,000 00

POST OFFICE

450 Post Offices, including salaries and other expenses of Headquarters and Staff Post Offices and supplies and equipment for Revenue Post Offices—Further amount required

2,071,056 00

451 Railway Mail Service—Further amount required 175,000 00

PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY

452 Canada Gazette—Further amount required.. . . .	13,000 00
453 Printing and binding official publications for sale and distribution to departments and the public—Further amount required.. . . .	25,000 00

PUBLIC WORKS

CHIEF ARCHITECT'S BRANCH

454 Maintenance and operation of Dominion public buildings and grounds, other than at Ottawa, including rents, repairs, furniture, heating, etc.—Further amount required.. . .	200,000 00
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CHIEF ENGINEER'S BRANCH

Construction, Repairs and Improvements—Harbours and Rivers

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND YUKON

455 Esquimalt Dry Dock—wharf repairs—Further amount required.. . . .	30,000 00
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SECRETARY OF STATE

456 Trade Marks Branch—Further amount required.. . . .	1,975 00
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TRADE AND COMMERCE

MAIL SUBSIDIES AND STEAMSHIPS SUBVENTIONS

Eastern Local Services

457 Mulgrave, Arichat and Canso, service between—Further amount required.. . . .	27,000 00
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CANADA GRAIN ACT

458 Operation and Maintenance, including inspection, weighing, registration, etc.—Further amount required.. . . .	130,000 00
459 Canadian Government Elevators including equipment—Further amount required.. . . .	114,160 84

TRANSPORT

MARINE SERVICE

460 Construction, maintenance and supervision of Aids to Navigation, including salaries and allowances to lightkeepers—Further amount required.. . . .	58,550 00
Government Wharves—	
461 To provide for payment to the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the sum of \$3,007.40 to be applied in account with the Imperial Fuels Limited, Port Stanley, Ontario, for improvements to Government wharf property at Port Stanley, Ontario, under an agreement whereby expenditures by the Company were applied against rentals accruing to or to accrue to the Department of Transport—Further amount required.. . .	3,007 40

RAILWAY SERVICE

462	Hudson Bay Railway—To provide for the difference between expenditures for operation and maintenance, and revenue accruing from operation during the year ending March 31, 1945—Further amount required.	267,090 00
	Maritime Freight Rates Act—	
463	Additional amount in excess of the sum of \$3,500,000, already appropriated to authorize and provide for the payment from time to time during the fiscal year 1944-45 to the Canadian National Railway Company of the difference (estimated by the Canadian National Railway Company and certified by the Auditors of the said Company to the Minister of Transport as and when required by the said Minister) occurring on account of the application of the Maritime Freight Rates Act, between the tariff tolls and the normal tolls (upon the same basis as set out in section 9 of the said Act with respect to companies therein referred to) on all traffic moved during the calendar year 1944 under the tariffs approved on the Eastern Lines (as referred to in section 2 of the said Act) of the Canadian National Railways—Further amount required.	353,273 61

AIR SERVICE

(Control and supervision vested in the Minister of Reconstruction by Orders in Council P.C. 7995 of 13 October 1944 and 8207 of 24 October 1944.)

Radio Division

464	Suppression of local electrical interferences—Further amount required.	10,315 00
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VETERANS AFFAIRS

REHABILITATION BRANCH

465	Rehabilitation Division—Further amount required.	173,000 00
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DIRECT PAYMENT TO VETERANS AND DEPENDENTS

466	Widows' Compassionate Allowances to be paid under terms and conditions approved by the Governor in Council—Further amount required.	20,000 00
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GOVERNMENT OWNED ENTERPRISES

Special

DEFICITS

Prince Edward Island Car Ferry and Terminals

467	Additional amount in excess of the sum of \$564,200 already appropriated, to provide for the payment during the fiscal year 1944-45 to the Canadian National Railway Company (hereinafter called the National Company)	
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upon application approved by the Minister of Transport, made from time to time by the National Company to the Minister of Finance, and to be applied by the National Company in payment of the deficit (certified by the Auditors of the National Company) in the operation of the Prince Edward Island Car Ferry and Terminals arising in the calendar year 1944—Further amount required

209,183 66

AGRICULTURE

SCIENCE SERVICE

428 Botany and Plant Pathology—Further amount required... 8,907 00
 429 Plant Protection—Further amount required... 5,750 00

MARKETING SERVICE

430 Dairy Products—Further amount required... 8,680 00
 431 Subsidies for Cold Storage Warehouses under the Cold Storage Act, and Grants, in the amounts detailed in the Estimates—Further amount required... 70,332 76
 432 Fruit, Vegetable, and Maple Products and Honey—Further amount required... 40,000 00
 433 Live Stock and Live Stock Products—Further amount required... 31,700 00
 434 Marketing of Agricultural Products, including temporary appointments that may be required to be made, notwithstanding anything contained in the Civil Service Act, the amount available for such appointments not to exceed \$15,000—Further amount required... 3,000 00

Resolutions to be reported.

By leave of the House, the said Resolutions were reported, read the second time and concurred in, and the Committee of Supply to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

CONCURRENCE

Mr. Ilsley moved,—That the Resolutions reported from Committee of Supply on March 28, 1945, be now received, read a second time and concurred in.

And the question being put on the said motion; it was agreed to.

The said Resolutions were then read the first and second time and concurred in, and are as follows:—

Wednesday, March 28, 1945.

FURTHER SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

AGRICULTURE

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE

427 Advisory Committee on Agricultural Services—Further amount required... \$ 1,000 00

FINANCE

435 Bank Inspection (Inspector General of Banks' Office)—Further amount required... 3,750 00

SUPERANNUATION AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS

436 Superannuation and Retirement Acts, Administration— Further amount required	3,000 00
437 Government's contribution to the Superannuation Fund— Further amount required	40,795 00

FISHERIES

438 To provide for transportation, dressing and dyeing, and other expenses incidental to receiving and disposing of fur seal skins accruing to Canada pursuant to Provisional Fur Seal Agreement between Canada and United States by exchange of notes dated December 8 and 19, 1942— Further amount required	85,000 00
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LABOUR

439 Departmental Administration—Further amount required . . .	28,000 00
440 Annuities Act—Further amount required	32,200 00

LEGISLATION

HOUSE OF COMMONS

441 To provide an additional amount and under the same terms and conditions, to that provided under Vote 495 of the Appropriation Act No. 5, 1944, for transportation and living expenses of Members of the House of Commons during the Easter Recess 1944—Further amount required	500 00
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GENERAL

442 Printing of Parliament, including salaries of staff of the Joint Distribution Office—Further amount required	25,000 00
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MINES AND RESOURCES

LANDS, PARKS AND FORESTS BRANCH

Government of the Northwest Territories

443 General Administration, operation and maintenance of services, including Wood Buffalo Park—Further amount required	15,000 00
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SURVEYS AND ENGINEERING BRANCH

444 Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Victoria, B.C.—Further amount required	3,500 00
445 Hydrographic and Map Service— Hydrographic Service—To provide for the repair and ren- ovation of Hydrographic Steamer <i>Wm. J. Stewart</i> —Further amount required	154,000 00

The House resolved itself into Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolution was adopted:—

FURTHER SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1944-45

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending 31st March, 1945, the sum of \$5,654,976.27 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada.

Resolution to be reported.

By leave of the House, the said Resolution was reported, read the second time and concurred in, and the Committee of Ways and Means to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Ilsley then obtained leave to present a Bill No. 2, An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945, which was read the first time.

By leave of the House, the said Bill was read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole, reported without amendment, read the third time and passed.

A Message was received from the Senate informing this House that the Senate had passed the following Bill:—

Bill No. 2, An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945.

A Message was received from the Honourable Patrick Kerwin, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, desiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker with the House went to the Senate Chamber; and being returned;

Mr. Speaker reported that he (the Speaker of the House of Commons) had addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General as follows:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted Supplies required to enable the government to defray certain expenses of the public service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

"An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945.

"To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour's Assent."

And that to this Bill, the Clerk of the Senate, by Command of the Honourable the Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, did thereupon say:—

"In His Majesty's name the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

On motion of Mr. Crerar, the House then adjourned at 6.20 o'clock p.m., until Tuesday, April 3, 1945, at 3 o'clock, p.m. pursuant to Special Order made March 23, 1945.

No. 10

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, TUESDAY, 3RD APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 22, 1945, for a Return showing the persons, companies and estates from whom the government has bought real estate in the City of Ottawa since the beginning of the war, and how much was paid to each one of them.

Mr. Maedonald (Kingston City), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Naval General Orders promulgated and issued to the Canadian Naval Forces, dated March 10, 1945, under the provisions of Section 44, Chapter 139, R.S.C. 1927.

The Order being read for the House to resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security;

Mr. Ilsley moved,—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

After Debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion; it was agreed to, on division.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the said proposed Resolution, and progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

At eleven o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

No. 11

JOURNALS

OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, WEDNESDAY, 4TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Martin, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labour, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act and the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2208, approved April 2, 1945: amending the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944 (Recruits).

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Regulations concerning medical treatment made under the Department of Veterans Affairs Act by Order in Council P.C. 2107, approved March 27, 1945.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West):—1. Has the War Assets Corporation sold any Air Force boots?

2. If so, to what firms were they sold?

3. How many pairs were sold?

4. At what price were they sold per pair?

By Mr. Gillis:—1. What equity has the Canadian Government in the Thompson Machinery Company located at Liverpool, Nova Scotia?

2. What depreciation of excess profits was allowed this company to cover wartime construction and garage installations at Liverpool, Nova Scotia?

By Mr. Castleden:—1. What quantities of beef have been shipped to (a) United States; (b) Great Britain, in each year since 1940?

2. What is Canada's home consumption of beef in each year since 1940.

3. What was the cattle population of Canada as on January 1st for each year since 1940?

4. Has there been any request for Canada to ship (a) beef; (b) cattle, to the United States or Great Britain?

5. What quantities of beef have been shipped to other countries in 1944?

By Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West):—1. Have speakers been engaged by the Wartime Information Board to speak in Canada, the United States or elsewhere?

2. If so, in what places did they speak?

3. Who were the speakers in each place?

4. Did they receive any money for speaking? In (a) fees; (b) travelling expenses?

5. If so, what speakers received money?

6. What was the amount of each payment?

By Mr. Church:—1. How many soldiers are housed at the Canadian National Exhibition Grounds, Toronto, and from what active units?

2. Will this property be given back to the city as soon as possible?

3. What buildings are being used for demobilization purposes?

4. What amount has been spent by the government on the above property since the war started; were tenders called for such work, and what amount has been spent on repairs, renovations and new additions to buildings?

5. What department made such repairs and who was in charge of same for the government?

6. Was this camp used for Toronto soldiers or those from units from all parts of Canada?

7. Have any requests been received from the Canadian National Exhibition or the City to terminate the existing lease when the navy move to their new barracks and the R.C.A.F. to Trenton?

8. How many soldiers housed at the above grounds will be going overseas (active), and how many are of the Home Guard, on administrative work or district depot work?

By Mr. Church:—1. Does the rule for members of the forces, that they must not write to the newspapers or speak at public meetings apply (a) to press liaison officers; (b) to public relations officers and publicity department officers of all classes?

2. Do these various officials wear uniforms; are they part of the military establishment and, if so, what rank?

3. What are their travelling, hotel and all other expenses and allowances since the war started?

4. What officers or officials in No. 2 district have delivered public speeches in Toronto offending the said city, and what are their salaries, emoluments and travelling expenses since the war started?

The following Address was voted to His Excellency the Governor General, and Orders of the House issued to the proper officers:—

By Mr. Lacombe:—Order of the House for an itemized statement showing the amounts paid, the names of the persons to whom they were paid, by the Empire Parliamentary Association, on account of the government grant of \$25,000 for the Conference held in Ottawa in 1943.

By Mr. Knowles:—Order of the House for a copy of Maximum Rental Decision No. S1-20-6915, dated September 8, 1944, giving the approval of the Rentals Administration of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board to an increase in the rental for certain premises rented for the Unemployment Insurance Commission, from the Bank of Montreal, in the city of Regina.

By Mr. Kuhl:—Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all correspondence and all other documents passed between the government or any department thereof and the government of the province of Alberta from April, 1944, to the present date, concerning the Pembina Valley flood situation in the province of Alberta.

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

At eleven o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

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OTTAWA, THURSDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Crerar, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 22, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. What is the text of the Haldimand Treaty under the terms of which the people of the Six Nations Indians were settled on territory on each side of the Grand River in Ontario?

2. What are the terms of the lease by which part of the territory, granted to the people of the Six Nations Indians under the Haldimand Treaty, was rented by Captain Joseph Brant and what were the rentals?

3. What is the total amount of money—the property of the people of the Six Nations Indians—now in possession of the Department of Indian Affairs and how is it used and administered?

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2239, approved April 4, 1945: amending the War Service Gratuity Regulations.

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

At eleven o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

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OTTAWA, FRIDAY, 6TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. St. Laurent, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented.—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. What action, if any, has the government taken with respect to the riots at Drummondville, Quebec, some weeks ago, when members of the provost corps and the R.C.M.P. were assaulted?

2. If such action has been taken, does the Minister of Justice think it will be adequate to prevent a recurrence of such unlawful acts?

3. What action has been taken in regard to the alleged "beating up" of 3 provost corps men at Gatineau Mills, Quebec, by a gang of 40 or 50 men?

4. What action has been taken against the constable at Gatineau Mills, who is alleged to have sat idly by and watched the law being broken?

Mr. Gardiner, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—

Copies of Agreement made between the British Ministry of Food and the Canadian government respecting the purchase of Canadian bacon in 1946.

Also,—Copies of Agreement made between the British Ministry of Food and the Canadian government respecting the purchase of Canadian beef in 1946.

And also,—Copies of Agreement made between the British Ministry of Food and the Canadian government respecting the purchase of Canadian eggs in 1946.

Mr. Pouliot asked leave to move the adjournment of the House under Standing Order 31 for the purpose of discussing an urgent public matter, viz:—

"Whereas on August 3, 1940, the Prime Minister, with the concurrence of the then Leader of the Opposition and the hon. member for Rosetown-Biggart, has moved a long adjournment of the House, provided that, 'if in the interval

for public reasons it should appear necessary to have the house reconvene, it will be possible for the government, upon consultation with His Honour the Speaker, to bring hon. members together in the shortest possible time';

"Whereas that motion was carried and whereas similar motions were passed on December 6, 1940, June 14, 1941, November 14, 1941, August 1, 1942, July 24, 1943, August 14, 1944 and December 7, 1944;

"Whereas from 1940 until January 31, 1945, with the exception of November 6, 1940, the opening of each session has taken place on the day immediately following the date of the prorogation of the previous session;

"Whereas 'parliament is the proper place to discuss the state of the defence of Canada should this country become further imperilled';

"Whereas, especially in wartime, 'the high court of parliament should be functioning';

"Whereas, at ten different intervals since the beginning of this war matters of vital importance to this country and to the whole world have been referred to the consideration of parliament;

"Whereas parliament is a democratic and national institution which could not be dispensed with, especially during the war;

"Whereas the term of the present parliament is about to expire in eleven days, viz., on April 17 this month;

"Whereas it would be in the public interest and in conformity with the British parliamentary traditions to extend the life of the present parliament for one year,

"Therefore, the government should take immediate steps to provide for the extension of the life of the present parliament for one year."

Mr. Speaker ruled that leave could not be granted as the statement read by the honourable Member failed to show that there was urgency in discussing the question of extending the life of Parliament.

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

At eleven o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until Monday next, at three o'clock, p.m.

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OTTAWA, MONDAY, 9TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 22, 1945, for a Return showing:—1. Was Mr. Charles J. Burchell, K.C., a partner of the law firms of Maclean, Burchell and Ralston from 1912 to 1922 and of that of Burchell and Ralston from 1922 to 1926?

2. Was he appointed Canadian High Commissioner to Australia, Newfoundland and South Africa, and, if so, when?

3. What was the date of his birth?

4. Was Mr. James Gordon Fogo, K.C., a partner of the law firms of Ralston & Hanway, Amherst, N.S., in 1924, and of that of Burchell & Ralston, Halifax in 1925 and 1926?

5. Is he still now a partner of the law firm of Burchell & Co.?

6. Was he appointed associate co-ordinator of controls in the Department of Munitions and Supply, and if so, when?

7. Was Mr. Joseph Gerald Godsoe associated in the practice of law with the firm of Burchell & Co., in Halifax from 1928 to 1930?

8. Was he appointed Co-ordinator of controls and chairman of the Wartime Industries Control Board in the Department of Munitions and Supply?

9. If so, when and whom did he succeed?

10. Was Mr. John Doherty Kearney, K.C., a partner of the law firm of Ralston, Kearney & Duquet, of Montreal, and if so, until when?

11. Was he appointed Canadian High Commissioner in Eire, and, if so, when?

12. Was Mr. Stuart Bowman Ralston in the law firm of Ralston, Kearney, and Duquet, Montreal, and later on in the law firm of Kearney, Duquet & Mackay, Montreal?

13. What is his age and when was he admitted to the practice of law?

14. Was he appointed to do some work at the Patent and Copyright Office?

15. If so, from what date to what date, what work did he do and how much was paid to him or to his law firm for his work and for living and travelling expenses?

16. Did he make a report?

17. If so, to whom and when?

18. Did he make any recommendations?

19. If so, what were they, and were they adopted and enforced by the government?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of March 28, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. What has been the total expenditure on each of the airfields in the Maritime Provinces to date?

2. How many of such airfields have been completed stating estimate cost to complete the others?

3. How many private or municipal airfields in the Maritime Provinces have received government assistance stating amount of such expenditures for each airfield?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of April 4, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. What equity has the Canadian government in the Thompson Machinery Company located at Liverpool, Nova Scotia?

2. What depreciation of excess profits was allowed this company to cover wartime construction and garage installations at Liverpool, Nova Scotia?

Mr. Howe, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 29, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. Are some of the buildings erected by the American Army at Fort McMurray, Alberta, not otherwise disposed of, being surrendered to the Canadian government?

2. Has the government received a request from the War Veterans of the Fort McMurray area for the use of one of these buildings? If so, what action is being taken?

Mr. Abbott, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of National Defence, laid before the House.—Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2252, approved April 4, 1945: amending the National Resources Mobilization Act (Army) Regulations, 1943.

Mr. Gardiner, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Correspondence and Resolution of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, District Council, Victoria, B.C., with respect to Major General G. R. Pearkes, V.C.; and his reply thereto.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Diefenbaker:—1. How many Home Defence Troops who were in Canada on February 28, 1945, were in (a) operational units; (b) non-operational units; (c) in training?

2. How many Home Defence Troops volunteered for active service in each of the months of January, February and March, 1945?

3. How many of the Home Defence Troops are on extended leave from depots and in particular (a) by province; (b) by military districts?

4. How many Home Defence Troops ordered overseas or to some other part of Canada or who have been on leave, failed to report in each of the months, November, December, 1944, and January, February and March, 1945; (a) by provinces; (b) by military districts?

5. How many of these men have been apprehended in each of the five months?

6. How many have been prosecuted, and are such men punished for being absent without leave or as deserters?

7. How many in each province?

8. How many in each military district?

9. How many have been prosecuted for assisting or abetting defaulters in each of the said months?

By Mr. Purdy:—1. By provinces and/or military district and respective service, what is the estimated intake into the Armed Forces to date?

2. By provinces and/or military district and respective service, how many men are now enrolled in the Armed Forces who have not volunteered for overseas service?

3. What is the number of men in each province and/or military district of military age as represented by national registration figures, less total enlistments?

4. What is the quota of men presently placed on each province or military district by the Department of National Defence through the Mobilization Boards?

5. What percentage of the quota assessed has been produced during the past six months by each province and/or military district?

By Mr. Church:—1. What progress is being made on the erection of the new Sunnybrook hospital at Toronto, and when will it be ready for occupation?

2. What additional hospital accommodation has been made since the survey of 1940?

By Mr. Black (Cumberland):—What contracts have been entered into and what purchases have been made since January 1, 1944, with or from The Tide-water Construction Company Limited and the Eastern Woodworkers of New Glasgow, Nova Scotia by the three departments of defence, the Department of Munitions and Supply, the Department of Public Works, the Department of Transport and the Canadian National Railways, stating purpose of contracts, payments made to date and estimates to complete?

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

At eleven o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

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OTTAWA, TUESDAY, 10TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Claxton, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the Family Allowances Act, 1944, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 1033, approved February 15, 1945: Family Allowances (Prince Edward Island Registration) Regulations.

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of April 4, 1945, for a copy of Maximum Rental Decision No. S1-20-6915, dated September 8, 1944, giving the approval of the Rentals Administration of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board to an increase in the rental for certain premises rented for the Unemployment Insurance Commission, from the Bank of Montreal, in the city of Regina.

He also laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Agricultural Assistance Act, 1940, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2185, approved April 2, 1945: renewing a loan of \$1,850,000 made to the province of British Columbia, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said province bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 29, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. How many soldiers are daily travelling on the trains throughout Canada and each Military District, checking leave passes of members of the forces, (a) Army; (b) Navy; (c) Air Force?
2. Do any of these come from the C.W.A.C., and how many of each class?
3. Are separate ones for each of the services necessary?
4. What is their pay and other allowances?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents addressed to the government during the year 1944, regarding the appointment of Mr. Boulianne as postmaster at St. Paul du Nord, Saguenay County.

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents addressed to the government during the year 1944, regarding the Post Office at Riviere Colombier, County of Saguenay.

Mr. MacKinnon (Edmonton West), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2492, approved April 10, 1945: extending the time for payment of Income Tax for the year 1944, until August 31, 1945.

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

The House then adjourned at 10.55 o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

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OTTAWA, WEDNESDAY, 11TH, APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Howe, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—
Annual Report of the Directors of the Trans-Canada Air Lines, for the year
ended December 31, 1944—(English and French editions).

Mr. Pouliot, asked leave to move the adjournment of the House under
Standing Order 31, for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent
public importance, viz:—

Whereas section 50 of the British North America Act, 1867, is enacted as
follows:—

50. Every House of Commons shall continue for Five Years from
the Day of the Return of the Writs for choosing the House (subject to
be sooner dissolved by the Governor General), and no longer.

Whereas the return of the last writ for the last general election was on
April 17, 1940;

Whereas the term of existence of this Nineteenth Parliament will expire on
that date;

Whereas, during the first fifteen days of the Sixth Session of this Nineteenth
Parliament, this House has considered only supplementary estimates for the last
fiscal year and appropriations for the three War Departments;

Whereas all the appropriations of the other departments and the civil
estimates have not yet been considered by the House;

Whereas the British North America Act, 1867, was passed by the Imperial
Parliament, and whereas it has been the practice of this Parliament to seek
amendments passed by the Imperial Parliament to Acts passed by the Imperial
Parliament;

Whereas the Houses of Parliament at Westminster will adjourn to-morrow
until next Monday, April the 16th, for a long week-end;

Whereas to-day is the last day when this Parliament could make an application for an extension of parliament to give to this House the opportunity to consider in full the war appropriations as well as the civil estimates for the current fiscal year;

Whereas in these serious and critical times this country cannot afford to be without parliament being available at a moment's call to meet any emergency;

Therefore this House should adjourn for the purpose of discussing the extension of the term of this Nineteenth Parliament to afford it the time and opportunity to consider the war appropriations and the civil estimates for the current year, which amount to billions of dollars.

Mr. Speaker ruled that there was no urgency for discussing the question proposed by the honourable member and therefore leave should not be given to move the adjournment of the House under Standing Order 31.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Coldwell:—1. What disposition is to be made of the Aircraft Repair Plant at Edmonton, Alberta?

2. Is there an optional purchase or other contract covering this plant? If so, what are the terms?

3. Could not this plant be used for the retraining of discharged service men?

By Mr. Black (Yukon):—Will the government of Canada acquire the radio broadcasting station established at Whitehorse, Yukon, by the American Army, when that army withdraws from Yukon?

The following Order of the House was issued to the proper officer:—

By Mr. Diefenbaker:—Order of the House for a copy of all correspondence and other documents that have passed between May, 1944, and date hereof, between the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation or any official thereof and the Minister of National War Services, referring to or connected with, the application or applications that have been made for the establishment of French-Language radio stations at St. Boniface, Manitoba; Prince Albert, Saskatchewan; Gravelbourg, Saskatchewan and Edmonton, Alta.

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

And it being after eleven o'clock, p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, it being then ten minutes past eleven o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at three o'clock, p.m.

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HOUSE OF COMMONS
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OTTAWA, THURSDAY, 12TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. MacKinnon (Edmonton West), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Canadian Wheat Board for the Crop Year 1943-1944.

Mr. Gibson, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2556, approved April 12, 1945: "Political Activities and Candidature for Parliament and Legislative Assemblies of members of the armed forces."

Mr. Howe, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. How much capital investment by the government does the building, machinery and equipment of Genelco Ltd., represent?

2. Is Genelco Ltd. working on government contracts?

3. If so, what length of time will it take to complete these contracts?

4. Will the present working staff be required until the completion of these contracts?

5. Has Genelco Ltd. laid off any staff this year?

6. If so, how many have been laid off?

7. Has any machinery or equipment been removed from Genelco Ltd.? If so, what machinery or equipment?

8. Will the government dispose of the building, equipment and machinery of Genelco Ltd.?

9. If so, what purchase price is the government asking?

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. Has the War Assets Corporation sold any heavy trucks?
2. If so, to whom were they sold?
3. How many trucks were sold?
4. Have any four wheel drive trucks been sold?
5. If so, to whom and how many were sold?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of April 4, 1945, for a Return showing:—1. Has the War Assets Corporation sold any Air Force boots?

2. If so, to what firms were they sold?
3. How many pairs were sold?
4. At what price were they sold per pair?

He also laid before the House,—Statement with respect to Employment and Income with special reference to the initial period of Reconstruction. (English and French editions.)

Mr. Michaud, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Annual Report of the Canadian National Railways System for the year ended December 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

Also,—Annual Report of the Canadian National (West Indies) Steamships Limited for the year ended December 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

And also,—Annual Report of the Canadian National Railways Securities Trust for the year ended December 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

And also,—Report of the firm of George A. Touche and Company, Auditors of the Accounts of the Canadian National Railway System, Canadian National Railways Securities Trust, Trans-Canada Air Lines, Canadian National (West Indies) Steamships, Limited, for the year ended December 31, 1944. (English and French editions.)

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2342, approved April 6, 1945: amending the regulations under The Veterans Land Act, 1942 (as established by Order in Council P.C. 11138, of December 8, 1942).

Mr. McLarty, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Thirty-Sixth Annual Report of the Civil Service Commission of Canada, for the year ended December 31, 1944.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Return, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. LaCroix:—1. What was the total cost of construction of the Mont-Joli airport?

2. What companies obtained contracts for such work, and what amount was paid to each of said companies?

By Mr. Choquette—What are the names, qualifications, last place of residence, present duties and yearly salary of each employee receiving more than \$3,000 per year and appointed before April 8, 1945, by the Department of National Health and Welfare?

By Mr. LaCroix:—1. During 1944, has any (a) cheese, (b) powdered milk been exported to the United States or to countries other than those of the British Commonwealth?

2. If so, what quantity of each was exported from January 1, 1945 to date?

3. What quantity to each country?

4. From what province did such powdered milk or cheese originate?

5. What companies purchased such cheese?

6. Is the export of cheese or powdered milk outside the British Empire now authorized, and under what conditions?

7. What is the quantity of cheese and powdered milk for which there is no market in the province of Quebec and which is likely to be lost?

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security, and further progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King, the House then adjourned at 8.15 o'clock, p.m., until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock, p.m.

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OF THE

HOUSE OF COMMONS

OF CANADA

OTTAWA, FRIDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1945

PRAYERS.

Mr. Mackenzie King, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act between January 1, 1945, and February 28, 1945, in type-written form (English and French editions), as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 8761, approved 30th January, 1945: *re* return to the Canadian Army of officers and soldiers sentenced by Courts Martial while attached to the British Army.

Order in Council P.C. 8763, approved 30th January, 1945: *re* return to the R.C.A.F. of officers and airmen sentenced by Courts Martial while attached to the R.A.F.

Order in Council P.C. 9584, approved 3rd January, 1945: revoking appointments of J. H. Berry as Motor Vehicle Controller and E. R. Birchard a Deputy; and appointing E. R. Birchard as Motor Vehicle Controller and E. T. Milne a Deputy.

Order in Council P.C. 9596, approved 3rd January, 1945: *re* applications of the Air Force Act of the United Kingdom to the R.C.A.F.

Order in Council P.C. 9597, approved 3rd January, 1945: *re* Wage Rates for Trainees.

Order in Council P.C. 9599 approved 3rd January, 1945: *re* tariff treatment, etc. for cleaned rice.

Order in Council P.C. 51, approved 3rd January, 1945: revoking appointment of Dr. S. E. Smith as Solid Fuel Representative, Province of Manitoba.

Order in Council P.C. 77, approved 11th January, 1945: The Reinstatement Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 79, approved 9th January, 1945: extending the effective term of the 1943-44 Flaxseed Regulations and the guarantee given the chartered banks of Canada thereunder.

Order in Council P.C. 124, approved 9th January, 1945: *re* application of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations to cases pending in the Labour Court of Ontario on 20th March, 1944 and not yet disposed of.

Order in Council P.C. 127, approved 9th January, 1945: appointing Paul Fontaine, K.C., to the Mobilization Board for Division "C".

Order in Council P.C. 158, approved 9th January, 1945: revoking appointment of G. W. Withell as a Deputy Priorities Officer and appointing H. J. Sissons.

Order in Council P.C. 165, approved 18th January, 1945: The Re-Establishment Credit Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 227, approved 16th January, 1945: prohibiting export of broom corn, brooms etc. except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 213/185, approved 10th January, 1945: pension benefits to female members of the Armed Forces of Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 254, approved 16th January, 1945: providing for the licensing of the steam trawler "Cape Agulhas".

Order in Council P.C. 274, approved 23rd January, 1945: *re* subsidy on milk used for fluid milk consumption.

Order in Council P.C. 305, approved 16th January, 1945: amending regulations governing the travel of women and children to war zones.

Order in Council P.C. 324, approved 16th January, 1945: providing tariff treatment for pots, boxes, bands, etc. for protecting plants while growing.

Order in Council P.C. 325, approved 16th January, 1945: making additional appointments to the Mobilization Board in Division N, Edmonton, Alberta.

Order in Council P.C. 331, approved 16th January, 1945: amending The Post-Discharge Re-Establishment Order.

Order in Council P.C. 332, approved 16th January, 1945: *re* status of persons appointed to or promoted in commissioned rank pending confirmation by the Governor in Council.

Order in Council P.C. 56/333, approved 17th January, 1945: providing for continuation of payments of rank to non-commissioned officers withdrawn from units for re-posting.

Order in Council P.C. 346, approved 16th January, 1945: amending the Wartime Industries Control Board Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 385, approved 18th January, 1945: amending the Wartime Prices and Trade Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 386, approved 18th January, 1945: amending the Wartime Leasehold Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 392, approved 18th January, 1945: amending The National Housing Act, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 422, approved 23rd January, 1945: revoking appointment of G. H. G. Caulton as a Deputy Oil Controller.

Order in Council P.C. 424, approved 23rd January, 1945: amending P.C. 5111, 3rd July, 1944: *re* convening of General Courts Martial, RCAF Personnel in Canada.

Order in Council P.C. 425, approved 23rd January, 1945: authorizing Wing Commander Martin to perform the functions of the J.A.G. in respect of the R.C.A.F. overseas.

Order in Council P.C. 435, approved 23rd January, 1945: permitting the R.C.A.F. and the Department of Transport to use Greenwich Mean Time in connection with aircraft flights.

Order in Council P.C. 449, approved 23rd January, 1945: The United States Property Protection Order

Order in Council P.C. 450, approved 23rd January, 1945: amending The War Service Gratuity Regulations, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 474, approved 23rd January, 1945: extending the period during which the railways may not offer inducements to travel by way of reduced fares.

Order in Council P.C. 482, approved 23rd January, 1945: appointing a Commissioner to investigate claims for damage of John Tawse, Terence McDonough . . . as a result of an aeroplane crash in Calgary, Alberta.

Order in Council P.C. 496, approved 25th January, 1945: providing for the retention in munitions work of trained key workers who are in designated age classes under the Mobilization Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 497, approved 23rd January, 1945: amending P.C. 9750, December 24th, 1943 which established The Inventions Board.

Order in Council P.C. 53/505, approved 24th January, 1945: Income Tax—provisions of P.C. 1/945 February 5, 1943 extended to cover year 1945.

Order in Council P.C. 104/505, approved 24th January, 1945: remission of excise tax on petroleum fractions, gasoline, etc. *re* Polymer Corporation Ltd.

Order in Council P.C. 106/505, approved 24th January, 1945: *re* drawback of duty and war exchange tax in respect of Tariff Item 442.

Order in Council P.C. 507, approved 25th January, 1945: *re* examination of Master and Mates for Certificates of Competency.

Order in Council P.C. 521, approved 25th January, 1945: permitting Stauntons Ltd. to use lands expropriated.

Order in Council P.C. 526, approved 25th January, 1945: proclaiming Revision No. 56 of the List of Specified Persons.

Order in Council P.C. 529, approved 25th January, 1945: authorizing an inquiry *re* Birnwel Coal Ltd. Calgary.

Order in Council P.C. 545, approved 25th January, 1945: amending the regulations respecting motor vehicles.

Order in Council P.C. 558, approved 25th January, 1945: vesting in His Majesty title to certain properties in Vancouver, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Hamilton and Toronto.

Order in Council P.C. 46/637, approved 31st January, 1945: *re* accelerated training of medical students.

Order in Council P.C. 94/637, approved 31st January, 1945: permitting the importation by C.P. Railway of used aircraft.

Order in Council P.C. 655, approved 30th January, 1945: amending The Wartime Wages Control Order, 1943.

Order in Council P.C. 9471, approved 1st February, 1945: providing for pre-matriculation training for personnel discharged from the Armed Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 9485, approved 2nd February, 1945: establishing a general policy *re* requisitions received in the Department of Munitions and Supply from the Mutual Aid Board and for the payment of the war supplies covered thereby.

Order in Council P.C. 638, approved 6th February, 1945: authorizing the sale, by Sea-Nymph Fisheries, Ltd. of vessel the construction of which was subsidized.

Order in Council P.C. 665, approved 1st February, 1945; amending the Defence of Canada Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 667, approved 1st February, 1945: revoking the appointment of C.F. Elderkin as Controller of Bloctube Controls of Canada and appointing N. M. Scott in his stead.

Order in Council P.C. 690, approved 1st February, 1945: amending the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 692, approved 1st February, 1945: *re* transportation of agricultural workers to employment in high priority industries during seasons when their services are not required in agriculture.

Order in Council P.C. 745, approved 6th February, 1945: amending the Defence of Canada Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 790, approved 6th February, 1945: providing tariff treatment, exemption from war exchange and excise taxes for cumene bottoms and benzol.

Order in Council P.C. 792, approved 6th February, 1945: extending the benefits of the War Service Grants Act, 1944, to personnel called out for duty under the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940, and despatched to operational theatres abroad.

Order in Council P.C. 35/798, approved 7th February, 1945: Waiving recovery of overpayment of annual increases to twenty-three Seasonal Immigration Inspectors.

Order in Council P.C. 817, approved 6th February, 1945: Extending the term of office of Charles P. Hebert as a member of the Tariff Board.

Order in Council P.C. 818, approved 9th February, 1945: appointing Walter Shaw a member of the Regional Selective Service Advisory Board, Maritime Employment Region.

Order in Council P.C. 826, approved 9th February, 1945: prohibiting the importation of nicotine, etc., except under permit.

Order in Council P.C. 858, approved 9th February, 1945: *re* entry into Canada of dependents of members of the Canadian Armed Forces.

Order in Council P.C. 859, approved 9th February, 1945: authorizing the Canadian Wheat Board to deal in sunflower seed and rapeseed, crop year commencing first August, 1945.

Order in Council P.C. 897, approved 13th February, 1945: amending the Wartime Industries Control Board Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 929, approved 13th February, 1945: *re* settlement of claims under munitions contracts terminated prior to completion.

Order in Council P.C. 941, approved 13th February, 1945: *re* sale of Crown property (land and buildings) not fully utilized for war production, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 944, approved 13th February, 1945: *re* medical examination of personnel ceasing to be members of the naval or air forces who are considered fit for military training.

Order in Council P.C. 945, approved 13th February, 1945: authorizing the female officer in command of Women's Service Health Centre, etc., to administer discipline, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 57/982, approved 14th February, 1945: *re* operation by personnel of the "Auxiliary Services" of motor vehicles of the Department of National Defence.

Order in Council P.C. 89/982, approved 14th February, 1945: authorizing the payment of certain drawback claims.

Order in Council P.C. 153/982, approved 14th February, 1945: Granting authority for employment of additional staff *re* cleaning and maintenance of Public Buildings.

Order in Council P.C. 985, approved 15th February, 1945: *re* The Inventions Board, Canadian Military Headquarters in Great Britain.

Order in Council P.C. 1001, approved 15th February, 1945: providing for the return to Morton Engineering and Dry Dock Co. of property expropriated.

Order in Council P.C. 1027, approved 15th February, 1945: establishing procedure under which contractors may dispose of scrap, work-in-process, production materials, etc., resulting from termination of contracts.

Order in Council P.C. 1049, approved 15th February, 1945: amending the Dominion Elections Act, 1938, *re* by-elections called for a date subsequent to the date of expiry of the life of the present Parliament.

Order in Council P.C. 1054, approved 20th February, 1945: amending The War Service Voting Regulations, 1944, *re* Members of the Armed Forces of Canada receiving treatment in hospitals.

Order in Council P.C. 1055, approved 20th February, 1945: amending the Defence of Canada Regulations (Consolidation), 1942.

Order in Council P.C. 1082, approved 22nd February, 1945: granting lease of and option to purchase plant at St. Laurent, Quebec, to Canadair Limited.

Order in Council P.C. 1101, approved 20th February, 1945: *re* conversion suitable buildings in Ottawa into multiple housing units.

Order in Council P.C. 1108, approved 22nd February, 1945: authorizing the Canadian Export Board to issue purchase orders and/or letters of intention *re* their purchases of transport equipment.

Order in Council P.C. 55/1111, approved 21st February, 1945: providing that the Canadian Women's Army Corps shall be deemed to be part of the Military Forces of His Majesty for purposes of the War Service Grants Act, 1944.

Order in Council P.C. 127/1111, approved 21st February, 1945: amending the regulations governing the payment of compensation to seamen for loss of effects, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 128/1111, approved 21st February, 1945: *re* salary of the person appointed Port Warden, Harbour Master, Shipping Master, etc., at Prince Rupert, B.C.

Order in Council P.C. 1116, approved 20th February, 1945: Providing for the replenishment of the wheat account of His Majesty (P.C. 7942, 12th October, 1943) and for sales of wheat for domestic use.

Order in Council P.C. 1173, approved 22nd February, 1945: amending The Emergency Shelter Regulations.

Order in Council P.C. 1174, approved 22nd February, 1945: authority to enter contract with Atlas Steels Limited and Atlas Plant Extension Limited, production of electric alloy steels.

Order in Council P.C. 1236, approved 27th February, 1945: *re* payment to Thompson Bros. Machinery Co. for damages to their wharf, etc.

Order in Council P.C. 1328, approved 27th February, 1945: appointing Mr. M. O'Brien to the Ontario Regional War Labour Board.

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for the year ended December 31, 1943, on Small Loan Companies and Money Lenders licensed under the Small Loans Act, 1938.

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act: Amendments to the Veterans Land Act, 1942, and Regulations made thereunder.

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a Return showing:—During each of the fiscal years 1930-31 to 1943-44 inclusive, what amount of (a) principal; (b) interest, was collected from Soldier Settlers under the Soldier Settlement Board (Civilian Settlers excluded)?

• Mr. Gibson, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, —Statement concerning retirements, promotions, etc., in the Royal Canadian Air Force of those with the rank of Air Vice-Marshal or higher since January 1, 1943.

Mr. Mitchell, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1945, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, petitions, briefs or other communications received by the Prime Minister, the Minister of Veterans Affairs, the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Director of Soldier Settlement and the Veterans Land Act or any other Department of Government in connection with the request of the Soldier Settlers Association of Canada that Veterans of Great War I, holding contracts with the Soldier Settlement Board at March 31, 1944, be granted clear titles without making further payments after that date.

Also,—Return to an Order of the House of April 4, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. Does the rule for members of the forces, that they must not write to the newspapers or speak at public meetings apply (a) to press liaison officers; (b) to public relations officers and publicity department officers of all classes?

2. Do these various officials wear uniforms; are they part of the military establishment and, if so, what rank?

3. What are their travelling, hotel and all other expenses and allowances since the war started?

4. What officers or officials in No. 2 district have delivered public speeches in Toronto offending the said city, and what are their salaries, emoluments and travelling expenses since the war started?

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of April 9, 1945, for a Return showing:—

1. How many Home Defence Troops who were in Canada on February 28, 1945, were in (a) operational units; (b) non-operational units; (c) in training?

2. How many Home Defence Troops volunteered for active service in each of the months of January, February and March, 1945?

3. How many of the Home Defence Troops are on extended leave from depots and in particular (a) by province; (b) by military districts?

4. How many Home Defence Troops ordered overseas or to some other part of Canada or who have been on leave, failed to report in each of the months, November, December, 1944, and January, February and March, 1945; (a) by provinces; (b) by military districts?

5. How many of these men have been apprehended in each of the five months?

6. How many have been prosecuted, and are such men punished for being absent without leave or as deserters?

7. How many in each province?

8. How many in each military district?

9. How many have been prosecuted for assisting or abetting defaulters in each of the said months?

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed Resolution to provide that a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty for National Defence and Security.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolution was adopted:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to introduce a measure to provide, inter alia,

1. That a sum not exceeding \$2,000,000,000 be granted to His Majesty towards defraying any expenses or making any advances or loans that may be incurred or granted by or under the authority of the Governor in Council during the year ending March 31, 1946, for—

(a) the security, defence, peace, order and welfare of Canada;

(b) the conduct of naval, military and air operations in or beyond Canada;

(c) promoting the continuance of trade, industry and business communications, whether by means of insurance or indemnity against war risk or in any other manner whatsoever;

(d) the purposes of The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1943, as amended by The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1944; and

(e) the carrying out of any measure deemed necessary or advisable by the Governor in Council in consequence of the existence of a state of war.

2. That the Governor in Council be empowered to raise by way of loan under the provisions of the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, 1931, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$2,000,000,000 as may be required for the purpose of defraying such expenses or making such advances or loans, the principal and interest of any such loan to be a charge upon and payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

3. That the Governor in Council be empowered to re-expend, advance or loan moneys that may be received by way of refund or repayment of advances, loans or expenditure under the War Appropriation Acts of 1939 (Second Session), 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944.

Resolution to be reported.

The said Resolution was reported, read the second time and concurred in.

Mr. Ilsley then, by leave of the House, presented a Bill No. 3, An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security, which was read the first time.

Mr. Ilsley then moved,—That the said Bill be now read the second time.

Mr. Dorion, seconded by Mr. Pouliot moved in amendment thereto: That all the words after the word "That" in the present motion, be deleted and substituted by the following words: "this House is of the opinion that no money

should be spent for the enforcement of the National Resources Mobilization Act, as well as the Order in Council 8891, and that above Act, Chapter 13, 4 George VI, and also the above Order in Council be repealed at once."

After Debate thereon, the question being put on the said proposed amendment; it was negatived on the following division:—

YEAS

Messrs.

Bourget,	d'Anjou,	LaCroix,	Pouliot,
Choquette,	Dorion,	Parent,	Raymond,
			Roy—9.

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Messrs.

Abbott,	Gillis,	McDonald (Pontiac),	Perley,
Authier,	Golding,	McGarry,	Picard,
Bence,	Goulet,	McGregor,	Pinard,
Black (Cumberland),	Graham,	McIlraith,	Pottier,
Black (Yukon),	Graydon,	McIvor,	Power,
Blair,	Green,	MacKenzie	Purdy,
Blanchette,	Gregory,	(Lambton-Kent),	Quelch,
Boucher,	Hanson (Skeena),	MacKenzie	Ralston,
Bradette,	Hatfield,	(Neepawa),	Reid,
Brooks,	Hazen,	Mackenzie (Van-	Rickard,
Bruce,	Henderson,	couver Centre),	Roebuck,
Bryce,	Hill,	MacKinnon	Rose,
Burton,	Hlynka,	(Edmonton West),	Ross (Calgary East),
Casselman (Grenville-	Homuth,	MacKinnon	Ross (Middlesex
Dundas),	Howden,	(Kootenay East),	East),
Castleden,	Howe,	McLarty,	Ross (Moose Jaw),
Chevrier,	Isley,	MacLean (Cape	Ross (Souris),
Church,	Isnor,	Breton North-	Ryan,
Cleaver,	Jackman,	Victoria),	St. Laurent,
Coldwell,	Johnston (London),	McLean	Sanderson,
Crerar,	Kinley,	(Simcoe East),	Senn,
Dechêne,	Kirk,	MacNicol,	Shaw,
Desmond,	Knowles,	Martin,	Sissons,
Douglas,	LeFlèche,	Matthews,	Taylor,
Dupuis,	Leader,	Maybank,	Thauvette,
Emmerson,	Leger,	Michaud,	Tucker,
Fair,	Little,	Mullins,	Tustin,
Fournier (Hull),	McCuaig,	Mutch,	Ward,
Fraser (Peterborough-	McCubbin,	Neill,	Warren,
West),	McCulloch,	Nicholson,	Weir,
Fulford,	MacDiarmid,	Nielsen, Mrs.	White,
Furniss,	Macdonald	Nixon,	Winkler,
Gardiner,	(Brantford City),	Noseworthy,	Wood,
Gershaw,	Macdonald (Halifax),	O'Neill,	Wright—124.

And the question being put on the main motion: That the said Bill be now read the second time; it was agreed to, on division.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole, reported without amendment, read the third time and passed.

The House resolved itself again into Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolution was adopted:—

INTERIM SUPPLY

MAIN ESTIMATES 1945-46

Resolved,—That a sum not exceeding \$148,845,000.59, being five-twelfths of the amount of each of the several items to be voted, as set forth in the Main Estimates for the fiscal year ending 31st March, 1946, laid before the House of Commons at the present session of Parliament, and in addition thereto the sum of \$437,749.83, being one-twelfth of the amount of items 10, 23, 24, 27, 141, 146, 148, 151, 152, 171 and 267, and the sum of \$862,958.33, being one-sixth of the amount of items 29, 133, 134, 142, 153, 158, 160, 161, 162, 269, 270, 271, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 282, 283, 286, 287, 289 and 290 as set forth in the several Schedules to The Appropriation Act, No. 1, 1945, be granted to His Majesty, on account, for the fiscal year ending 31st March, 1946.

Resolution to be reported.

By leave of the House the said Resolution was reported, read the second time and concurred in, and the Committee of Supply to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House resolved itself again into Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolution was adopted:—

Resolved,—That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending 31st March, 1946, the following sums be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada, namely:—

1. The sum of \$148,845,000.59, being five-twelfths of the amount of each of the items as set forth in the Main Estimates for the fiscal year ending 31st March, 1946.

2. The sum of \$437,749.83, being one-twelfth of the amount of the items as set forth in Schedule A to The Appropriation Act, No. 1, 1945.

3. The sum of \$862,958.33, being one-sixth of the amount of the items as set forth in Schedule B to The Appropriation Act, No. 1, 1945.

Resolution to be reported.

By leave of the House the said Resolution was reported, read the second time and concurred in, and the Committee of Ways and Means to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Ilsley then obtained leave to present a Bill, No. 4, An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1946, which was read the first time.

By leave of the House, the said Bill was read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole, reported without amendment, read the third time and passed.

The House resumed the adjourned Debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Johnston (London) seconded by Mr. Lapointe (Matapedia-Matane)—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General of Canada:—

To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, one of His Majesty's Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the House of Commons of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

And the question being put on the said motion; it was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mackenzie King, the said Address was ordered to be engrossed and to be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are of the Honourable the Privy Council.

A Message was received from the Senate informing this House that the Senate had passed the following Bills:—

Bill No. 3, An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security.

Bill No. 4, An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1946.

The Speaker communicated to the House the following letter which he had received:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

OTTAWA

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

13th April, 1945.

Sir,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Monday the 16th of April at 3.00 p.m. for the purpose of proroguing the present Session of Parliament.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable J. Allison Glen, K.C., M.P.,
Speaker of the House of Commons.

At eleven o'clock, p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 7, until Monday next, at three o'clock, p.m.

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PRAYERS.

A Message was received from the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, desiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker with the House went to the Senate Chamber.

Where the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted Supplies required to enable the government to defray certain expenses of the public service.

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bills:—

“An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security.”

“An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1946.”

“To which Bills I humbly request Your Honour's Assent.”

To these Bills, the Clerk of the Senate, by Command of the Honourable the Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, did thereupon say:—

“In his Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to these Bills.”

After which His Honour the Deputy Governor General was pleased to close the Sixth Session of the Nineteenth Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, with the following Speech:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

You will be deeply gratified that the close of the last session of this war Parliament comes at a time when decisive battles against Germany have been fought and won, at sea, in the air, and on land; and when spectacular Allied successes against Japan presage the defeat of our enemies in Asia, as well as in Europe.

All Canada has watched with ever-increasing pride the contribution Canadian forces have made toward ultimate victory.

I am particularly pleased that my leave-taking of honourable members of the present Parliament comes at a moment when both Houses have endorsed the acceptance by the government of the invitation to Canada to send representatives to the United Nations conference at San Francisco which opens on the 25th of this month.

It is indeed gratifying that the Canadian delegation has been assured of the strong support of both Houses of Parliament in a determined effort to further the creation of an international organization to maintain peace and security in the post-war world. Next to the winning of the war, the winning of the peace is the supreme end to be achieved.

As the promise of peace dawns, a shadow has been cast athwart the threshold of the San Francisco Conference by the passing of Franklin Delano Roosevelt. In the general acceptance of a Charter for an international security organization, the late President foresaw the realization of a great hope: an enduring peace through co-operative action on the part of all nations. His life and work helped to impart that vision to others. The deliberations of the Conference will now be inspired by his indomitable spirit.

In the death of Franklin Roosevelt, Canada mourns the loss of a true friend and a good neighbour; the oppressed peoples of the earth, a valiant champion; and mankind, a mighty leader of the forces of freedom.

Members of the House of Commons:

My Ministers have consistently taken the position that the people should be secured in their rights under the Constitution to elect representatives to the House of Commons at least every five years, and that, subject to this limitation, any question as to the time of a general election should be viewed in the light of what Canada owes to her fighting men. My Ministers have also felt that, once decisive battles had been fought, a general election should be held as soon as possible. They are deeply gratified that it is now possible to hold a general election at a time more favourable than any hitherto, to a careful consideration by members of the armed forces, as well as by citizens generally, of the problems which relate to Canada's future. The most ample provision has been made for the exercise of the franchise by members of the armed forces in all parts of the world.

The term of the present Parliament will expire at midnight to-night. On the advice of the Prime Minister, I shall approve a recommendation to have Parliament dissolved at the conclusion of this afternoon's proceedings. I shall also approve the issue, immediately thereafter, of a Proclamation for the holding of a general election on June the 11th.

I thank you for having made the necessary financial provision for the effective conduct of the war, and for meeting the ordinary expenses of government required to bridge over the period between the beginning of the present fiscal year and the opening of a new Parliament following the general election.

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

The people of Canada as a nation welcome to-day the opportunity to express profound gratitude to Almighty God for the deliverance from evil forces which in His Providence we now see is being vouchsafed to peoples of our own and other countries which our enemies have sought to conquer and enslave. As this parliament ends, we join in humble and reverent thanksgiving to God for His Mercy thus revealed to our own and other freedom-loving lands.

His Honour the SPEAKER OF THE SENATE then said:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's will and pleasure that this Parliament be prorogued until later this day, and this Parliament is prorogued accordingly.

The first of these was the Declaration of Independence, which was adopted by the Continental Congress on July 4, 1776. This document declared the thirteen colonies to be free and independent states, no longer bound to the British Crown.

The second was the Constitution, which was adopted by the delegates to the Constitutional Convention on September 17, 1787. This document established the framework for the federal government.

The third was the Bill of Rights, which was adopted by the first Congress on September 12, 1789. This document guaranteed the basic rights of the people, such as freedom of speech and religion.

The fourth was the Judiciary Act, which was passed by the first Congress on September 24, 1789. This act established the federal court system.

The fifth was the Fugitive Slave Act, which was passed by the first Congress on September 22, 1793. This act required the return of escaped slaves to their owners.

The sixth was the Alien and Sedition Acts, which were passed by the first Congress in 1798. These acts gave the government the power to deport aliens and punish those who spoke against the government.

The seventh was the Embargo Act, which was passed by the first Congress in 1807. This act prohibited the export of goods from the United States to Britain and France.

The eighth was the Missouri Compromise, which was passed by the first Congress in 1820. This act prohibited slavery in the territory of Missouri.

The ninth was the Compromise of 1850, which was passed by the first Congress in 1850. This act resolved the issue of slavery in the newly acquired territories.

The tenth was the Kansas-Nebraska Act, which was passed by the first Congress in 1854. This act allowed the people of the territories to decide for themselves whether to allow slavery.

The eleventh was the Lincoln-Douglas Debates, which took place in 1858. These debates were a series of speeches in which Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglas discussed the issue of slavery.

The twelfth was the Dred Scott Decision, which was issued by the Supreme Court in 1857. This decision ruled that African Americans were not citizens and therefore did not have the right to sue in federal court.

The thirteenth was the Emancipation Proclamation, which was issued by President Abraham Lincoln in 1863. This proclamation declared that all slaves in the Confederate States were free.

The fourteenth was the Thirteenth Amendment, which was ratified in 1865. This amendment prohibited slavery and involuntary servitude.

The fifteenth was the Fourteenth Amendment, which was ratified in 1868. This amendment guaranteed the rights of citizenship and equal protection under the law.

The sixteenth was the Fifteenth Amendment, which was ratified in 1870. This amendment prohibited discrimination on the basis of race in voting.

The seventeenth was the Reconstruction Act, which was passed by the first Congress in 1867. This act established the process for rebuilding the South after the Civil War.

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2. Return of Orders in Council *re* Dominion Lands Act: Laid before the House, 24. Sess. Paper No. 58.

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1. Annual Report of, including Report *re* Canadian Fishermen's Loans: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 27. *Printed*.
2. Auditor's Report, including Report *re* loans under Canadian Fishermen's Loan Act: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 28.

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 2. Exchange of Notes between Canada and United States *re* salmon fisheries of the Fraser River System: Laid before the House, 7. Sess. Paper No. 123b.
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2. Statement of enfranchisements under the Indian Act: Laid before the House, 24. Sess. Paper No. 63.

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 4. Order in Council amending regulations *re* oil and gas on Indian Reserves: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 65.
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3. Order,—Return showing data *re* C. J. Burchell, K.C., J. G. Fogo, K.C., J. G. Godsoe, J. D. Kearney, K.C., and S. B. Ralston; connection with certain legal firms; appointments to certain positions and employment by government: Mr. Pouliot, 42. Presented, 77. Sess. Paper No. 155.
4. Order,—Return showing amounts paid each year since war began to law firm of Burchell, Smith, Parker and Fogo, Halifax, N.S., and to each partner thereof: Mr. Pouliot, 43.
5. Order,—Return showing amounts paid each year since war began to law firms of Kearney and Duquet; and Kearney, Duquet and MacKay, Montreal, Que., and to each partner thereof: Mr. Pouliot, 43.
6. Order,—Return showing amounts paid to J. H. Power, K.C., New Glasgow, N.S., by various government departments for legal services since January 1, 1940: Mr. Black (Cumberland), 48.
7. Order,—Correspondence, etc., *re* appointment of Mr. S. B. Ralston to do some work for Patent and Copyright Office; reports made, etc.; Mr. Pouliot, 49. Presented, 51. Sess. Paper No. 96a.

Leave passes of members of the armed forces: See *National Defence Department*, 20.

Legal firms employed by government: See *Lawyers employed by the government.*

Letourneau, Mr. J. T., employment of by government:

Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944 *re*: Presented, 34. Sess. Paper No. 140.

Library of Parliament:

1. Report of: Presented, 23. Sess. Paper No. 1.
2. Report and recommendation of Civil Service Commission *re* staff of: Laid before the House, 41. Sess. Paper No. 2a.

Liquor Permits:

Return of, *re* Northwest Territories for 1944: Laid before the House, 24.
Sess. Paper No. 66.
See also *Northwest Territories Ordinances*.

Loan and Trust Companies:

Report of Superintendent of Insurance on: Laid before the House, 26.
Sess. Paper No. 35. *Printed*.

Loans and Deposits of Chartered Banks:

Return *re*: Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 18.

Loans to Farmers: See *Farm Loan Board*.**Loans to Fishermen:** See *Farm Loan Board*, 1, 2.**Loans to Provinces under Unemployment and Agricultural Assistance Act:**

See *Unemployment and Agricultural Assistance Act*, 1940.

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Order,—Return showing data *re*; also *re* connection with Barclay's Bank
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Canada*, 1.**Medical Examination of discharged members of Naval or Air Forces, con-
sidered fit for the Army:**

Order in Council *re*: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142e.

Medical Treatment for members of the armed forces: See *Veterans Affairs
Department Act*, 1944, 1.**Members, changes in:**

New Member: Wilfred Garfield Case, 2; introduced, 2.

Merchant Shipping Agreements:

Exchange of Notes between Canada and Other Powers *re* continuance of
co-ordinated control of merchant shipping: Laid before the House, 7.
Sess. Paper No. 123e.

Meteorological Services, transfer of: See *Public Service Rearrangement and
Transfer of Duties Act*.

Mexico:

Copy of telegram from, *re* Canada's war effort: Laid before the House, 35. Sess. Paper No. 144.

Migratory Birds Convention Act:

Return of Orders in Council *re*: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 64.

Military Police on trains: See *National Defence Department*, 20.

Milk (powdered) and cheese production and export: See *Agriculture*, 5.

Mines and Resources, Department of:

Report of: laid before the House, 24. Sess. Paper No. 57. *Printed*.
See also *Dominion Lands*; also *Indian Affairs*.

Monetary Funds and Policies: See *San Francisco, U.S.A., Conference of the United Nations*; (Mr. Hansell's amendment).

Money-lenders: See *Small Loan Companies and money-lenders*.

Mont-Joli Airport: See *Airports and Landing Fields in Canada*, 2.

Mortgage Bank: See *Central Mortgage Bank*.

Municipal Improvements Assistance Act, 1938:

Report on the operations of, for year ended December 31, 1944: Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 37.

Munitions and Supply Department:

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 7995, of October 13, 1944 transferring certain functions of the Minister *re* disposal of war materials, etc., to the Minister of Reconstruction: Laid before the House, 6. Sess. Paper No. 11.

See also *Eastern Woodworkers of New Glasgow, N.S.*; also *Lawyers employed by the government*; also *Sherbrooke, N.S., Taxi Service and J. E. Fraser*; also *Tidewater Construction Company Limited*.

Munitions and Supply Plants: See *Genelco Limited*; also *Thompson Machinery Company, Liverpool, N.S.*

Mutual Aid Agreements: See *United Nations Mutual Aid Acts, Agreements under*; also *War Appropriation (\$2,000,000,000) Act No. 1, 1945*.

N**National Battlefields Commission:**

Report of: Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 38.

National Defence Department:

1. Report of: Laid before the House, 31. Sess. Paper No. 71. *Printed*.
2. Copies of General Orders to the Canadian Army: Laid before the House, 31. Sess. Paper No. 73. *Printed*.
3. Copies of Naval General Orders: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 74. *Printed*. 41 (74a), 67 (74b).

National Defence Department—Continued.

4. Copies of General Orders to the Royal Canadian Air Force: Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 72.
5. Return to an Order of the House of July 10, 1944 showing number in Reserve Army senior to corporal: also data *re* same: Presented, 31. Sess. Paper No. 137.
6. Return to an Order of the House of August 3, 1944, showing casualties, by provinces, in each branch of the armed forces since war began: Presented, 31. Sess. Paper No. 136.
7. Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944, showing data *re* arrangements made for Christmas and New Year's leave of members of the armed forces: Presented, 31. Sess. Paper No. 138.
8. Order,—Copy of correspondence, etc., between Major General G. H. Pearkes of the Pacific Command and General McNaughton, Minister of National Defence, and others, *re* his retirement from Pacific Command; also instructions issued and reports made: Mr. Bruce, 38. (See also Nos. 14, 26.)
9. Copy of Financial Arrangements for the R.C.A.F. on Active Service, 1945: Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 72a.
10. Address,—Correspondence, telegrams, etc., since September 1, 1939 exchanged between Dominion and Quebec Governments *re* conscription for overseas service: Mr. Lalonde, 37.
11. Orders in Council *re* vocational training for members of the armed forces upon discharge: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper Nos. 142, 142d, 142h. (See also *Vocational Training Co-ordination Act, 1942*).
12. Order in Council *re* medical examination of naval or air force personnel considered fit for the army: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142e.
13. Report of the National Health Survey conducted by the Canadian Medical Procurement and Assignment Board: Laid before the House, 47. Sess. Paper No. 145. *Printed*.
14. Order,—Return showing data *re* Major General Pearkes and efforts made to induce draftees to go active: Mr. Bruce, 47. (See also Nos. 8, 26.)
15. Order,—Return showing data *re* pension paid to General A. G. L. McNaughton: Mr. Ross (Souris), 54. Presented, 60. Sess. Paper No. 148.
16. Order,—Return showing data *re* defence services Ordnance Depots and Stores: Mr. Black (Cumberland), 54.
17. Order,—Return showing data *re* airfields, including private and municipal airfields in the Maritime Provinces: Mr. Black (Cumberland), 54. Presented, 78. Sess. Paper No. 156.
18. Order,—Return showing data *re* civilians from Canada visiting Britain and the battle areas in 1944 and 1945; free transportation, length of visit, etc.: Mr. Winkler, 61.
19. Order,—Return showing data *re* disposal of American army buildings at Fort McMurray, Alberta; and request of War Veterans for use of: Mr. Dechene, 61. Presented, 78. Sess. Paper No. 158.
20. Order,—Return showing members of the armed forces travelling on trains checking passes, etc.; number of C.W.A.C.'s, etc.; Mr. Church, 61. Presented, 81. Sess. Paper No. 160.
21. Copy of Order in Council amending National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944 (Recruits): Laid before the House, 69. Sess. Paper No. 150.

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22. Copy of Order in Council *re* medical treatment of members of the armed forces under Veterans Affairs Act: Laid before the House, 69. Sess. Paper No. 119a.
 23. Order,—Return showing data *re* use of Canadian National Exhibition Grounds and Buildings by the armed forces: Mr. Church, 70.
 24. Order,—Return showing data *re* Press Liaison Officers and other publicity men; rules *re* public speaking, etc.: Mr. Church, 70. Presented, 94. Sess. Paper No. 167.
 25. Order in Council P.C. 2252 of April 4, 1945, amending the National Resources Mobilization Act (Army) Regulations, 1943: Laid before the House, 78. Sess. Paper No. 142i.
 26. Copy of resolution, correspondence, etc., between the Victoria, B.C., District Council of the Canadian Legion and Mr. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, *re* Major General Pearkes: Laid before the House, 78. Sess. Paper No. 154. (See also Nos. 8, 14.)
 27. Order,—Return showing data *re* Home Defence Troops; numbers volunteering for active service, on leave, deserters apprehended, punished, etc., during five months, November, 1944, to March, 1945, by provinces and military districts: Mr. Diefenbaker, 78. Presented, 94. Sess. Paper No. 168.
 28. Order,—Return showing data *re* total in the armed forces, by provinces and military districts; requirements requested by National Defence Department; number provided by Mobilization Boards, etc.: Mr. Purdy, 79.
 29. Order,—Return showing data *re* new Sunnybrook Military Hospital at Toronto: Mr. Church, 79.
 30. Order in Council *re* Political Activities and Candidature for Parliament or Legislative Assemblies of members of the armed forces: Laid before the House, 85. Sess. Paper No. 166.
- See also *Eastern Woodworkers of New Glasgow, N.S.*; also *Income Tax Exemptions*; also *National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940*; also *Reinstatement in Civil Employment Act, 1942*; also *Returned Soldiers' Families, transportation of*; also *Sherbrooke, N.S., Taxi Service and J. E. Fraser*; also *Tidewater Construction Company, Limited*; also *Veterans Affairs Department*; also *Vocational Training Co-ordination Act, 1942*; also *Walkie-Talkies*; also *War Assets Corporation Limited*; also *War Measures Act*.

National Defence and Security (\$2,000,000,000) Aid for, bill:

Resolution,—To provide for expenditures in connection with, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1946; House to go into Committee on, agreed to, after debate, 4. Motion for Mr. Speaker to leave the Chair, moved, 67; agreed to, on division, not recorded, 67. Progress reported from Committee of the Whole, 67, 71, 73, 76, 79, 82, 84, 87. Resolution adopted, 95. Bill No. 3 (Mr. Ilsley)—An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security; 1st R., 95. 2nd R. moved, 95. Amendment (Mr. Pouliot)—no money to enforce National Resources Mobilization Act, and that said Act be repealed at once, 95. Amendment negatives (yeas 9; nays 124), 96. 2nd R., on division, 96. 3rd R., 96. Passed by Senate, 98. R.A., 99. 9 George VI, Chapter 3.

National Health Survey: See *Canadian Medical Procurement and Assignment Board*.

National Health and Welfare Department:

Order,—Return showing data *re* employees of, receiving more than \$3,000, appointed before April 8, 1945: Mr. Choquette, 86.

See also *Pensions and National Health Department*.

National Housing Act, 1944:

Order,—Return showing action taken thereunder at Toronto; number of houses built, applications received, etc.: Mr. Church, 48.

National Research Council:

Report of, for 1943-44: Laid before the House, 28. Sess. Paper No. 102. *Printed*.

See also *Public Service Re-arrangement and Transfer of Duties Act*.

National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940:

1. Order in Council *re* key employees in munitions plants: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142b.

2. Order in Council *re* agricultural workers travelling expenses when assigned to high priority industries: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142c.

3. Order in Council amending National Selective Service Civilian Regulations: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142f.

4. Order in Council amending National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944 (Recruits): Laid before the House, 69. Sess. Paper No. 150.

5. Order in Council amending National Resources Mobilization Act (Army) Regulations, 1943: Laid before the House, 78. Sess. Paper No. 142i.

See also *National Defence and Security (\$2,000,000,000) Aid for, bill*, (Mr. Dorion's amendment); also *War Measures Act*.

National Revenue Department:

Report of: Laid before the House, 28. Sess. Paper No. 83. *Printed*.

National Selective Service:

1. Civilian Regulations, copy of: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142f.

2. Mobilization Regulations (Recruits), Copy of: Laid before the House, 69. Sess. Paper No. 150.

See also *National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940*; also *Sherbrooke, N.S., Taxi Service and J. E. Fraser*.

National Sugar Beet Producers Association of Canada: See *Sugar*, 2.

National War Labour Board: See *Labour Department*.

National War Services Department: See *Canadian Broadcasting Corporation*, 4.

Naval Service of Canada:

Copy of Naval General Orders: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 74. *Printed*. 41 (74a), 67 (74b).

Newfoundland-Canada Agreement *re* air services: See *Canada-Newfoundland Agreement *re* air services*.

Newfoundland, Canadian High Commissioner to: See *Lawyers employed by the government*, 3.

New Year's and Christmas leave for members of the armed forces: See *National Defence Department*, 7.

Nickel Mines in Finland (Petsamo), Compensation for: See *Canada-United Kingdom-Soviet Union (Russia) Agreement re Petsamo (Finland) Nickel Mines*.

Northwest Territories, Liquor Permits: See *Liquor Permits*; also *Northwest Territories Ordinances*.

Northwest Territories Ordinances:

Copy of: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 67.

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Oaths of Office Bill:

Bill No. 1 (Mr. Mackenzie King), 1st R., 2.

Oil and Gas on Indian Reserves, Regulations re: See *Indian Affairs*, 4.

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Order,—Return showing data re officials of Canadian Chartered Banks, so employed: Mr. Pouliot, 42.

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Ordinances of the Northwest Territories: See *Northwest Territories Ordinances*.

Ordinance Stores and Depots: See *National Defence Department*, 16.

Ottawa Real Estate bought by government:

Order,—Return showing data re, since war began: Mr. Pouliot, 43. Presented, 67. Sess. Paper No. 149.

Overseas Military Service: See *National Defence Department*, 10.

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Packing Plants: See *Winnipeg Packing Plants*.

Pan-American Airways Limited: See *Canada-United States Agreements re use of Canadian air routes by Pan-American Airways Limited*.

Parliamentary Library: See *Library of Parliament*.

Parliament, candidature of members of the Armed Forces for:

Order in Council *re*: Laid before the House, 85. Sess. Paper No. 166.

Parliament, extension of life of: See *Adjournments under Standing Order 31*.**Patent Commissioner:**

Report of: Laid before the House, 27. Sess. Paper 96.

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Peace and Security, International Organization for maintenance of: See *San Francisco, U.S.A., Conference of the United Nations*.**Pearkes, Major General G. H., V.C., D.S.O., M.C.:** See *National Defence Department*, 8, 14, 26.**Pembina Valley flood situation in Province of Alberta:**

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Penhold, Alberta, S.F.T.S. (R.A.F.): See *Empire Air Training Plan*, 1.**Penitentiaries:**

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Pensions and National Health Department:

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See also *National Health and Welfare Department*; also *Veterans Affairs Department*.

Petsamo, (Finland) Nickel Mines: See *International Nickel Company of Canada, Limited*.**Petitions:** See *Clerk of Petitions*; also *Examiner of Petitions*.**Pigott Construction Company:**

Order,—Return showing total contracts awarded to, during war; also contracts awarded while Mr. Pigott was President of Wartime Housing Limited: Mr. Nicholson, 47.

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Postmaster General:

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1. Order,—Correspondence, etc., received during 1944 *re* appointment of Mr. Boulianne as postmaster at St. Paul du Nord, Saguenay, Quebec; Mr. Dorion, 49. Presented, 82. Sess. Paper No. 161.
2. Order,—Correspondence, etc., received during 1944 *re* Post Office at Riviere Colombier, Saguenay County, Quebec: Mr. Dorion, 49. Presented, 82. Sess. Paper No. 162.
3. Order,—Correspondence, etc., since June, 1940 *re* administration of Amsterdam, Saskatchewan, post office: Mr. Nicholson, 54.

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Order in Council *re* Seed Potatoes: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 141.

Powdered Milk Exports: See *Agriculture*, 5.

Power, J. H., K.C., New Glasgow, N.S., employment of, by government:
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Prairie Farm Assistance Act:

Report of activities under, for crop year 1943-44: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 7.

Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act:

Report of Proceedings under, for 1943-44: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 8.

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Price Ceiling: See *Wartime Prices and Trade Board*.

Prince Edward Island Family Allowances Registration: See *Family Allowances Act, 1944*.

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Public Service Re-arrangement and Transfer of Duties Act:

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11a, 11b, 11c.

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Report of: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 88. *Printed*.
See also *Eastern Woodworkers of New Glasgow, N.S.*; also *Ottawa Real Estate bought by government*; also *Tidewater Construction Company, Limited*; also *Unemployment Insurance Commission*, 2.

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Quebec cheese and powdered milk production and export: See *Agriculture*, 5.

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Statement *re* drainage: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 68.

Reconstruction Department Act, 1944:

1. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 7995 of October 13, 1944, transferring to the Minister of Reconstruction certain functions *re*: National Research Council; civil aviation; disposal, etc., of war materials: Laid before the House, 6. Sess. Paper No. 11.
2. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 8207 of October 24, 1944, transferring to Minister of Reconstruction: Meteorological Services, administration of the Radio Act, 1938; the Trans-Canada Air Lines Act, 1937 and the Aeronautics Act, etc.: Laid before the House, 7. Sess. Paper No. 11a.
3. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 8368 of October 30, 1944, transferring to the Minister of Reconstruction certain functions *re* The Surplus Crown Assets Act, etc.: Laid before the House, 7. Sess. Paper No. 11b.

Reconstruction Proposals for the Post-War Period:

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Order in Council *re* regulations under: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142a.

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Returned Soldiers' Families, transportation of:

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2. Financial Regulations for Royal Canadian Air Force on active service, 1945; Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 72a.
3. Return to an Order of the House of July 27, 1944 showing data *re* aircraft released from service in Canada by the R.C.A.F. and R.A.F.; method of disposal, etc.: Presented, 26. Sess. Paper No. 132.
4. Return to an Order of the House of June 29, 1944 showing data *re* stationery and printing provided Equipment Depots of R.C.A.F. in Prairie Provinces from May 1, 1943 to May 1, 1944: Presented, 27. Sess. Paper No. 131.
5. Statement *re* retirements and promotions, etc., in R.C.A.F. of Air Vice-Marshals, or higher ranks since January 1, 1943: Laid before the House, 94. Sess. Paper No. 72b.

See also *Aircraft Repair Plant, Edmonton, Alberta*; also *Airports and Landing Fields in Canada*; also *War Assets Corporation Limited*, 2.

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1. Report of: Laid before the House, 28. Sess. Paper No. 52. *Printed*.
2. Order,—Return showing action taken *re* Drummondville riots; also *re* Gatineau Mills disturbance: Mr. Bruce, 48. Presented, 75. Sess. Paper No. 152.

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Salmon Fisheries of the Fraser River System: See *Fisheries*, 2.

San Francisco, U.S.A., Conference of the United Nations:

1. Resolution,—That Parliament approves of the acceptance by Canada of an invitation to attend and take part in such Conference and endeavour to bring about the establishment of an international organization for the maintenance of world peace and security, etc.; Motion (Mr. Mackenzie King)—To consider said resolution at the next sitting, moved, 5; agreed to, after debate, 6. Motion (Mr. Mackenzie King)—For concurrence in the resolution; moved, 35. Debate adjourned, 35, 38, 44, 46, 49. Debate resumed, 51. Amendment (Mr. Hansell)—full national sovereignty of each nation to be insured—disapproval of Bretton Woods monetary policy and gold standard, etc.; moved, 52. Speaker ruled amendment out of order as introducing new and abstract proposals which require a distinct motion after notice, 52. Debate on main motion resumed and adjourned, 52. Main motion agreed to and Resolution adopted, on division (yeas 202; nays 5), 55.
2. Copy of Note of March 5, 1945 from United States of America extending invitation to Canada to attend Conference; and Canadian Reply thereto: Laid before the House, 5. Sess. Paper No. 122.

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Seed Grain Indebtedness to the Crown:

1. Statement *re*: Laid before the House, 25. Sess. Paper No. 69.
2. Address,—Correspondence, etc., from 1938 to date between Dominion and Saskatchewan governments *re* 1938 seed grain loans: Mr. Wright, 49.
3. Address,—Correspondence, etc., from 1937 to date between Dominion and Saskatchewan governments *re* seed grain furnished to farmers in spring of 1938: Mr. Perley, 49.

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Return to an Order of the House of August 7, 1944 showing data *re* payments made by government departments to, since September, 1939: Presented, 28. Sess. Paper No. 126.

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Six Nations Indians: See *Indian Affairs*, 5.

Small Loan Companies and Money-Lenders:

Report *re*, for 1943: Laid before the House, 93. Sess. Paper No. 42. *Printed*.

Soldiers Insurance: See *Returned Soldiers Insurance*.

Soldier Settlement:

1. Report of Board: Laid before the House, 24. Sess. Paper No. 57. *Printed*.
2. Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944 showing data *re* collections by, administrative costs, quit claims signed, etc., during fiscal years from 1930-31 to 1943-44: Presented, 33. Sess. Paper No. 139.
3. Regulations made under the Act: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 119.
4. Order,—Return showing, by years, from 1930-31, amounts collected in principal and interest from soldier settlers: Mr. Fair, 48. Presented, 94. Sess. Paper No. 139a.
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2. Leases of Wharves, piers, etc.: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 118.
3. Statement of Wharfage Revenue: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 117.
4. Statement of Harbour Dues: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 114.
5. Statement of Canadian Pacific Railway Lands sold: Laid before the House, 30. Sess. Paper No. 112.
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Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940:

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 2. Order,—Return showing data *re* rental of premises for, in Regina, Saskatchewan: Mr. Knowles, 71. Presented, 81. Sess. Paper No. 159.
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5. *Re* post-war disposition of United States Defence Projects in Canada: Laid before the House, 53. Sess. Paper No. 123*k*.

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2. Order,—Return showing data *re* radio station established by United States Army at Whitehorse, Yukon: Mr. Black (Yukon), 84.

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3. Order in Council providing for agreements with provinces *re* training for persons directed by the Unemployment Insurance Commission: Laid before the House, 34. Sess. Paper No. 142*g*.
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2. Return to an Order of the House of August 14, 1944 showing data *re* costs of parts used by Addison Industries Limited; number of employees, pay, royalties paid; contracts with A. Cross and Company: Presented, 29. Sess. Paper No. 134*a*.

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War Assets Corporation Limited:

1. Order,—Return showing data *re* heavy trucks, including four-wheel drive trucks, sold by: Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West), 48. Presented, 86. Sess. Paper No. 165.
2. Order,—Return showing data *re* air force boots sold; number, price, firms, etc.: Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West), 69. Presented, 86. Sess. Paper No. 165*a*.

See also *Aircraft Repair Plant, Edmonton, Alberta*; also *Crown Assets (Surplus) Act*; also *Royal Canadian Air Force*, 3.

War Effort of Canada:

Copy of telegram from Mexico to Prime Minister expressing admiration, etc.: Laid before the House, 35. Sess. Paper No. 144.

War Exchange Conservation Act, 1940:

Copy of Agreements made with certain business firms: Laid before the House, 26. Sess. Paper No. 45.

War Measures Act:

1. Orders in Council passed under authority of:

(a) For the period March 9, 1944 to December 31, 1944: Laid before the House, 8, (typewritten form). Sess. Paper No. 13.

(b) For the period January 1, 1945 to February 28, 1945: Laid before the House, 89, (typewritten form). Sess. Paper No. 13a.

2. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1803 amending the Canadian War Service Voting Regulations, 1944: Laid before the House, 45. Sess. Paper No. 3a.

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4. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2208 of April 2, 1945: amending the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944 (Recruits): Laid before the House, 69. Sess. Paper No. 150.

5. Order in Council amending War Service Gratuities Regulations: Laid before the House, 73. Sess. Paper No. 119b.

6. Order in Council amending National Resources Mobilization Act (Army) Regulations, 1943: Laid before the House, 78. Sess. Paper No. 142i.

7. Order in Council P.C. 2556 of April 12, 1945: political activities and candidature for Parliament and Legislative Assemblies of members of the armed forces: Laid before the House, 85. Sess. Paper No. 166.

8. Order in Council *re* Veterans Land Act, 1942: Laid before the House, 93. Sess. Paper No. 119d.

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Order in Council amending: Laid before the House, 73. Sess. Paper No. 119b.

War Supplies (Canadian) to United Nations: See *United Nations Mutual Aid Acts, Agreements under*; also *War Appropriation (\$2,000,000,000) Act No. 1, 1945*.

Wartime Elections Act:

Order in Council P.C. 1803 of March 16, 1945, amending the Canadian War Service Voting Regulations, 1944: Laid before the House, 45. Sess. Paper No. 3a.

Wartime Housing Limited: See *Housing*; also *National Housing Act, 1944*; also *Pigott Construction Company, 1*.

Wartime Information Board:

Order,—Return showing data *re* speakers engaged by: Mr. Fraser (Peterborough West), 70.

Wartime Prices and Trade Board:

1. Report of, for calendar year 1944: Laid before the House, 53. Sess. Paper No. 147. *Printed*.
2. Order,—Return showing data *re* rate of rental approved by Rentals Administration for premises in Regina for the Unemployment Insurance Commission: Mr. Knowles, 71. Presented, 81. Sess. Paper No. 159.

War Veterans Allowance Act: See *Pensions and National Health Department*, 1.

Wednesdays:

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Whaling, International Agreement *re*:

Protocol amending regulations: Laid before the House, 7. Sess. Paper No. 123.

Wharfage Revenue and commissions paid: See *Transport Department*.

Wharves: See *Transport Department*.

Wheat Board:

Report of, for crop year 1943-44: Laid before the House, 85. Sess. Paper No. 100.

Wheat participation certificates:

Return to an Order of the House of July 6, 1944 showing data *re* income tax on: Presented, 27. Sess. Paper No. 130.

Whitehorse (Yukon) Radio Station: See *Radio Station established at Whitehorse, Yukon, by American Army*.

Winnipeg Packing Plants:

Return to an Order of the House of December 4, 1944 showing data *re* employees of: Presented, 28. Sess. Paper No. 125.

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